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## CONGRESS STEPS UP WORK ON AID TO BRITAIN BILL

Secret Hearings Today  
In Both House and  
Senate Committees

Washington, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Congress quickened the procedure tempo on the administration's lease-lend bill today with simultaneous hearings in both legislative chambers, and senatorial opponents promised cooperation for expedited action.

The house foreign affairs committee, nearing the end of its study of the legislation after two weeks of open hearings, was called into an executive session to hear confidential testimony from the army's Chief of Staff, General George C. Marshall, and the navy's No. 1 man, Admiral Harold R. Stark, Chief of Naval Operations.

Secretary Hull was reported to have told the senate foreign relations committee today that long efforts to obtain mutual understanding and cooperation between the United States and Japan had been virtually fruitless.

Committee members said the secretary of state devoted much of a two-hour closed session to a discussion of relations between the two nations. They reported that he traced the background of American policy in the Far East, but did not outline any future course.

**Asked Secret Hearing**

Hull, the first witness in the committee's study of the aid-to-Britain bill, had asked permission to present some testimony behind closed doors. He explained that he wanted to present information which might bear on the bill "but which should not be made known to every nation."

Under President Roosevelt's definition of warring "democracies," China might become one of the beneficiaries of the lend-lease legislation.

In asking that he first be permitted to testify privately, Hull said that publicly "would not be compatible with the public interest and might be injurious to our national security."

Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.), a member of the state committee, told reporters there was no intention on the part of opposition senators to delay the lease-lend legislation.

**Asks War Aims**

In the senate, Senator Nye (R-ND) introduced on behalf of himself and Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) a resolution calling on the belligerent nations for a statement of their war aims, the conditions on which they would agree to peace and disclosure of any "secret treaties for division of territorial spoils."

"Before we go further with this gamble of aid to Britain," Nye asserted, "we ought to have more information about the cause we are serving."

He said the resolution was "part of an effort to make certain our country is not going to play a sucker's part."

Majority Leader Barkley (D-Ky.) observed that such a demand was "just as logical" as if a citizen observed a neighbor with a knife held at his throat by an aggressor and was to ask the combatants to "stop and enumerate what they are fighting over and what it started about before deciding to help either one."

"Under common law," he added, "a citizen has the right to take the life of an aggressor if he has reason to believe a murder is about to be committed. I feel that nations have somewhat the same

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## Son of Co-Author of Draft Law Joins Army

Geneseo, N. Y., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Reverend Wadsworth, son of Republican Rep. James W. Wadsworth, co-author of the selective service act, upheld today the family tradition of having some member join every major call to arms.

Young Wadsworth, married and a father, was inducted into army service with Troop B, 101st New York Cavalry, for a year's training at Ft. Devens, Mass.

The family's army history dates from the revolutionary war, when one of its ancestors served on the staff of General George Washington.

## Chicago Police Hunt Fire Alarm Maniac

Chicago, Jan. 27.—(AP)—The men that Chicago firemen would love most to get their hands on—a fire alarm bug—went back to work today, turning in 14 false alarms in two and one-half hours.

Friday he pulled 19 false alarms in three and one-half hours.

## Escaped Flyer



—NEA Telephoto

Baron Franz von Werra, 26, German air squadron leader, in New York after escape from Canadian prison train. His ears were frozen in crossing St. Lawrence river during escape.

## Long Suffering of Mrs. E. T. Schuler Ends During Night

Death came last night to Mrs. Everett T. Schuler at her home in Mountain Brook, Birmingham, Alabama, after many patient years of confining and painful illness, according to word received in Dixon this morning by her sister, Miss Annie Eustace, Miss Eustace, who came to Dixon only a week ago from a visit with her sister, left today for Birmingham.

Mrs. Schuler, who, before her marriage was Maude Eustace, was born in Dixon and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Eustace and the granddaughter of Judge and Mrs. John V. Eustace, Judge Eustace, who was one of Dixon's most distinguished pioneer residents, was an outstanding jurist in Illinois during his lifetime.

After her marriage to Everett T. Schuler, nephew of William A. Schuler of Dixon, they lived for a time in Chicago where Mr. Schuler was active in the steel industry and then they moved south where Mr. Schuler's interests as an executive in steel and other industrial developments called him. They have homes in Birmingham and Gadsden, Alabama, and also have lived in Nashville, Tenn.

**Stricken Years Ago**

Mrs. Schuler is survived by her husband; two sons, Robert and Eustace of Birmingham; a daughter, Mrs. Imogene Rice of Gadsden and four grandchildren, as well as Miss Eustace of Dixon. A son, John, died some years ago. Mrs. Schuler was a niece of the late Mrs. B. F. Shaw of Dixon, and a cousin of George, Ben and Robert Shaw of Dixon. She was a graduate of Rippon College in Wisconsin.

A beautiful and cultured person and a very lovely character, Mrs. Schuler was stricken many years ago with arthritis so severe that she has been a helpless invalid, taken about in a wheel chair, but throughout her illness she was a marvel of courage and good cheer, directing the management of her household and bringing happiness to all within her reach.

Until her condition made it impossible for her to travel, Mrs. Schuler was a frequent visitor in Dixon, where on each visit she added to her circle of loving friends, all of whom will mourn her passing.

He took it off when an American suggested it "might not be tactful."

## Nazi Flier, Fugitive from Canadian Prison Camp, Faces Trial in New York

(Picture Column 2 Above)

New York, Jan. 27.—(AP)—With two frozen ears, a tale of three escapes from prison camps and claiming to have downed 11 "enemy" planes before his capture by the British, a young German aviator went sightseeing today in New York.

Baron Franz von Werra, 26, is at liberty under \$5,000 bond posted by the German consulate and must appear before a federal grand jury, Thursday in Albany to explain his illegal entry into this country, but he's not worried.

He said on arrival yesterday from Ogdensburg, N. Y., where he was arrested after escaping from a Canadian prison train, that he will find his way back to Germany, "as well as I found my way

## ESCAPED ASYLUM INMATE ADMITS MURDER OF GIRL

Rapes Girl He Feared  
He'd Lose Before  
Stabbing Her

Kankakee, Ill., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Held in the county jail today was Omar Longtin, 29, who Sheriff Dan Bergan said, admitted that he bludgeoned and stabbed to death a 22-year-old girl because he feared he was going to lose her to another suitor.

The body of the girl, Norma Altenbrunn, was found Saturday night in a snow-covered vacant lot adjoining Bradley shortly after the Rev. H. C. Short turned Longtin over to authorities with the statement that the man had told him of the slaying.

The victim had been struck on the head with a brick, assaulted and stabbed in the throat with a bread knife.

In unsigned statements to the sheriff, Coroner Edward Madison and State's Attorney Joseph Tolson, the sheriff said Longtin told this story:

He and Miss Altenbrunn returned to Bradley about 10:30 Saturday night after attending a movie in Kankakee. They stopped at Longtin's home where his mother prepared a lunch. Before midnight the pair left for the girl's home. Before leaving Longtin hid a brick and a bread knife in his clothing.

Upon passing the vacant lot, Longtin struck the girl with the brick, carried her through the snow into the lot, raped her and stabbed her several times.

He ran home, after telling his mother what had happened, grabbed a rifle and rushed to a patch of prairie to kill himself. But he lost his nerve and instead burst in upon Mr. Short, a United Brethren minister who was Longtin's pastor, and informed him of the crime.

Coroner Madison related that Longtin told him that his rival was not worthy of the girl and that she was "better off in God's hands."

He added that he had been "very much in love" with her but that her family objected. Dr. George W. Morrow, acting manager of Kankakee state hospital, said his records showed Longtin had been confined there but that he escaped in 1932.

## Induction of I. N. G. Is Again Postponed

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Adjutant General Leo M. Boyle announced today that induction of the 33rd division, Illinois National Guard, into federal service has been deferred until March.

Gen. Boyle said Sixth Corps Area officials were informed in a telegram by the war department that "because of inclement weather, the construction work at Camp Forrest, Tullahoma, Tenn., has been delayed and necessitated deferment of induction of the Guard into federal service."

It had been announced earlier that the 33rd division's induction date was set tentatively for February 24. Boyle said the war department has set March 5 as the date when the division probably will enter federal service. He said the various units would probably arrive at Camp Forrest about March 15.

## Super-Enthusiast

London, Jan. 27.—(AP)—A super-enthusiastic member of a home guard unit which formed a guard of honor at Wendell L. Willkie's first press conference today in London pinned on a 1940 Willkie campaign button sent him by a friend in the United States.

He took it off when an American suggested it "might not be tactful."

Knowing that international law rules out his return to Canada by American authorities, the baron expects to be deported to his homeland, where he wants to "shoot down some more" planes.

The airman said he was forced down September 7 in England and made a prisoner of war, but escaped twice.

"I couldn't get out of the country," he went on, saying he subsequently was shipped to Halifax with other prisoners.

He jumped the prison train in the Laurentian mountains last Thursday night and headed for the St. Lawrence river. He found an old boat and crossed the open channel between the ice, paddling with his hands.

They were en route to Springfield to attend the Republican Editorial Association meeting. About two miles north of Mendota, a car driven by Carroll Pearce collided with the Lux machine as Pearce was driving out of a driveway at the Fred Weidman.

## Injured



Fred E. Lux, editor of the Rochelle News, and his son, H. A. Lux, owner of the Lux-Otome Engraving company of Fergus Falls, Minn., and formerly a linotype operator for the Dixon Telegraph, suffered minor injuries Saturday in an automobile accident near Mendota.

They were en route to Springfield to attend the Republican Editorial Association meeting. About two miles north of Mendota, a car driven by Carroll Pearce collided with the Lux machine as Pearce was driving out of a driveway at the Fred Weidman.

Fred Lux, who was driving, suffered bruises, and H. A. Lux was given treatment at the Harris hospital in Mendota for injuries which included lacerations of his face. Pearce, who resides in Mendota, escaped serious injury.

## Terse News

### Monthly Chest Clinic—

The monthly chest clinic will be held at the courthouse on Thursday, beginning at 9 a. m. Dr. Robert H. Hayes of Chicago is to be the clinician.

### Class for Business Men—

The regular weekly class in business arithmetic and accounting for merchants of Dixon and their employees will be held at the Dixon high school at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening.

### Resigns State Position—

Jerome F. Dixon, son of Mrs. Margaret C. Dixon, 503 North Hennepin avenue, has resigned his position as assistant attorney general of the state of Illinois, and will return to the private practice of law in Chicago, Attorney General George F. Barrett announced Sunday.

### Snowdrift Breaks Fall—

Phillip Watts fell from the roof at his home Sunday and suffered no ill effects. He had crawled onto the roof to repair a skylight when he slipped and fell head first, landing in a four foot snow drift which broke the force of his fall. He was dazed for a brief period but suffered no ill effects.

### Intruders Unrewarded—

The warehouse of the Public Supply Co. on Seventh street and Depot avenue was entered over the week-end and the intruders moved about a ton of sacked feed, but nothing was reported missing. The feed was stored on a second floor and the intruders spent some time in the building with being rewarded for their efforts.

### No Co. A. Drill Tonight—

There will be no regular drill session of Co. A, 129th Infantry this evening at the Armory hall because of the absence of officers who are in Chicago receiving instruction. Instead the regular weekly drill will take place Tuesday evening at 7:30 after which Lieut. Wayne Wolf expects to distribute the checks for the company members services.

### Two Convicted of Larceny

A jury in Lee county Circuit court deliberated about 45 minutes Saturday afternoon to find Charles Conkrite, Jr., and Clifford Lewis, both of Dixon, guilty of larceny. The verdict was returned to Judge Harry Wheat at about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon and the two defendants will be arraigned before the court to receive sentence later.

## FBI Probes Personnel Files for Mistreatment

Washington, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation sought today to determine whether personnel records taken on the sly from Civil Service offices were used for compiling "sucker" mailing lists or for some more sinister purpose.

They questioned two men whom they brought, handcuffed, to a police station and an FBI spokesman said several probably were involved in an alleged plot to remove confidential personnel files.

## WEEK-END SNOW HEAVY IN MOST NORTHERN AREAS

Freezing Weather Felt  
as Far South as Pan-  
handle of Texas

(By The Associated Press)

Winter sportsmen found favorable weather in most of the northern half of the nation today.

There was an abundance of snow and ice for the skiers, skaters and tobogganers, yet the same conditions gave trouble to highway departments in some states.

The playgrounds for those who like to relax in the sun and sand were fair but a bit cool, Florida reporting lows of 54 at Jacksonville, 58 at Tampa and 60 at Miami, and California showing 59 at Los Angeles and San Diego and 45 at Fresno.

### Coldest in Maine

The Chicago weather bureau said the lowest early-morning temperature reported in the nation was 26 below zero at Caribou, Maine. A mark of 16 below at Minot, N. D., was the lowest in the north central states. Sub-zero weather prevailed in northern Montana, most of North Dakota and parts of Minnesota and South Dakota.

Forecaster A. J. Knarr of Chicago said freezing weather extended southward to the Ohio river and along a line across Arkansas, Oklahoma and the Texas Panhandle.

### Most Highways Open

The week-end snows, Knarr said, were heaviest from Iowa across northern Illinois and Indiana, southern Wisconsin, lower Michigan and into Pennsylvania. Chicago had seven inches. Des Moines, Iowa, had 13, most of it Saturday.

Knarr said the weather maps showed snow north of a line approximately from the Ohio river eastward and rain in many sections south of that line.

Highways in northern and central Indiana were slick after the week-end snow and sleet storm.

All Wisconsin and Illinois roads were open. Highways were normally clear in Michigan, where the low temperatures ranged from 2 below at Sault Ste. Marie to 21 at Detroit. Main highways in Iowa were open despite the state's 13-inch snowfall.

### DIXONLAND ROADS OPEN

All state highways in the northern Illinois district were open to traffic today, it was announced at the local highway division offices. Maintenance crews on some of the routes started work Saturday night and continued operation throughout Sunday in plowing snow from the highways.

Other crews went to work early Sunday morning and continued throughout the day to prevent the heavy snow fall from blocking the roads. In some instances, the crews worked in relays to prevent a tie up of traffic. At the local district highways office, it was reported that the snow fall was slightly heavier in the vicinity of the tri-cities while in the northern part of the district the fall was

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## Interned Nazi Sailors Preparing Camp in N. M.

Fort Stanton, N. M., Jan. 27.—(AP)—The border patrol announced today that 25 or 30 ship's carpenters and mechanics from the scuttled German liner Columbus would arrive Wednesday to prepare an abandoned CCC camp as an internment site for approximately 400 shipmates.

The Nazi seamen have been held at the Angel Island immigration station in San Francisco Bay more than a year. They scuttled their ship in the Atlantic in December, 1939, to prevent capture by British warships.

## The Weather

MONDAY, JAN. 27, 1941

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago and Vicinity: Fair and somewhat colder tonight, and Tuesday; lowest temperature tonight 15 to 20; moderate northerly winds.

Illinois: Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; colder tonight, and north portion Tuesday.

Wisconsin: Generally fair and colder tonight; Tuesday fair, colder south and east.

Iowa: Generally fair tonight and Tuesday; colder extreme east tonight.

### LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 6 p. m.—

Saturday: maximum temperature 33, minimum 21; cloudy.

Sunday: maximum temperature 21, minimum 25; cloudy; precipitation 58 inches (7 inches snow), total for January to date 2.91 inches.

Tuesday: sun rises at 7:11; sets at 5:13.

## Witness



Shading his eyes from glaring movie lights, former Ambassador to France William C. Bullitt tells House Foreign Affairs committee the Western Hemisphere is "juiciest morsel before the dictators."

## President's Ball at Dixon Armory Wednesday Night

The ninth annual President's Birthday Ball will be held at Dixon Armory, Wednesday night, commencing at 9 p. m., and the music will be furnished by Jackie Phelps' nine-piece orchestra.

Fifty per cent of all money raised in Lee county will be retained by the local chapter of The National Association for Infantile Paralysis, Inc. This portion will be used to help defray the expense of crippled children's clinics, which are conducted by the Lee County Medical Society, and to purchase braces and shoes and give surgical attention to the three known cases of "polio" existing in Lee county.

### More Money Needed

Edward A. Jones, chairman of the local chapter, said this morning: "It is extremely urgent that we raise more money this year than ever before. I have been asked by doctors in charge of the crippled children's clinics to share part of the expense of conducting three clinics in Dixon during the coming year. This the local chapter wishes to do, as many of the children treated at this clinic in the past were infantile cases. However, we must raise money to do so. In addition we have leg and arm braces to purchase for a patient who lives in Amboy and a case in Dixon—a man 40 years old—which may require surgery in the future."

### More Non-Political

Mr. Jones stated further that there is nothing political either in the collection or distribution of the funds and pointed out that only Saturday Governor Dwight Green urged all citizens of Illinois to support this drive.

"I hope the people of Dixon will support this event," he said. "Heretofore we have always taken care of our own unfortunates and this year the need is great. The most important people in the nation, in every walk of life, are urging the people to support this drive. The youngster around your corner is also urging you to enable him to attend a crippled children's clinic this year. If the Birthday Ball is a success the prayer of that child will be answered."

### Without Confusion

Burbank, Calif., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Pilots on an American airliner between Burbank and Dallas won't be confused by this change of stewardesses—or will they?

Betty McLaughlin of Hollywood married and resigned.

Betty McLaughlin of Bloomfield, Ind., replaced her.

## British Desert Troops Contact Italian Force Defending Derna Today

### The War Today!

BY DEWITT MACKENZIE

When a chap is badly down on his luck all sorts of gossip is likely to be circulated about him, as witness Rome's denial of reports that there has been rioting in northern Italy, with German troops helping suppress the disorders.

There are several points of interest in connection with this story, and one of them is that while it is branded as false, it was born out of the mental attitude of a lot of Italy's neighbors. That is to say, the country is so hard hit both economically and militarily that many outsiders are expecting a collapse—hence the wild tales.

Then there is Berlin's denial of an uprising in Italy, accompanied by the tip (given inadvertently or otherwise) that German troops were cheered while passing through Milan yesterday enroute to southern Italy. So it would seem that London was correct when it stated last night that Nazi forces were being sent into Italy.

An authoritative British source warned that reports of extensive unrest in Italy should be treated with reserve—and the British would know what is going on there if anybody, since they are actively engaged in trying to cause a popular upheaval against Mussolini. However, an informed source in the British capital said considerable numbers of Germans were being sent into Italy, ostensibly as air staffs, but allegedly to support the fascist regime.

### Drive Toward Red Sea

Some 2,000 miles to the south-east of Derna, other British troops were reported to have driven a wedge halfway across Italian Eritrea in a drive toward the Red Sea. Cairo dispatches said the British were within striking distance of the Italian town of Agordat, an important railroad.

In the air siege of Britain, London's millions had their seventh consecutive night without an after-dark alarm; but despite bad weather, R. A. F. raiders streaked across the channel before dawn to attack the industrial city of Hanover, in north-central Germany.

Hitler's high command acknowledged four killed and six injured during the raid, in which several hundred incendiaries were dropped.

"Three of our own planes are missing," the German high command said.

"All our aircraft returned safely," the British communiqué said.

### African War Theater

Amid this comparative lull in the aerial conflict, attention focused on the rapidly-developing African war theater.

Military sources at Cairo said the British captured the village of Biscia and were within 10 miles of Agordat, taking 100 prisoners and bringing the total to 700 in the 11-day Eritrean campaign.

The Soviet Russian army newspaper, Red Star, commenting on the African campaign, said the Italian position was "critical," and expressed the opinion it was no longer a question of Italian losses, "but of possibility of their further resistance at all."

The Greek spokesman in Athens said the new Italian commander in Albania, General Ugo Cavallero, ordered counter-attacks at several points on the Albanian front yesterday to "strengthen the morale of his troops," but that the Greeks had beaten the Italians back.

### Deny Riots in Italy

Authoritative Italians last night denied foreign reports of disorders which German troops were said to have helped quell in industrial northern Italy.

The Columbia Broadcasting System, which carried the first reports that there had been such fighting in Turin, Milan and other cities, said last night in a broadcast that new dispatches from a Balkan capital said casualties in the alleged fighting had been high and that some Italian troops fought on the side of the rioters.

An uneasy peace settled again over Rumania while captured leaders of last week's rebellion tasted the fruits of their failure—many paying with their lives.

In Shanghai, it was reported that a Japanese army had launched its fourth offensive to crush 100,000 Chinese soldiers operating in central China between the Peiping-Hankow railway and the Han river. In previous campaigns, the Japanese have failed to cross the Han.

French Indo-Chinese authorities announced that an armistice to halt border dispute fighting be-

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## New Census Figures Used First Time in Computing Allotment of Gas Tax

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—(AP)—State Finance Director George B. McKibbin announced today the allotment of \$1,066,668 to Illinois municipalities as their net share of motor fuel tax receipts for December.

The finance director said that 1940 census figures were used in computing the allotments for the first time.

The gross municipalities share of December collections was \$1,149,710 of which \$83,041 was reserved for payment of obligations on the \$30,000,000 relief bond issue.

The December allotment marked the first time since August, 1931, that Chicago's share of motor fuel tax collections, was designated for exclusive highway purposes. Under legislation which expired last month, Chicago had been using half of its motor fuel tax for relief. The Chicago allotment for December was \$555,695.

The finance director said that the final payment on \$2,500,000 advanced to Chicago by the state in 1938 for relief purposes also was made by the city last month.



## Former Governor Frank O. Lowden Observes Eightieth Anniversary; Looks to Future with Optimism

BY LOIS J. STIMELING

"Well, what about you 80 years?" A Telegraph reporter asked the question of Frank Orren Lowden, the World war governor of Illinois, Saturday afternoon, on the eve of his eightieth birthday anniversary.

The "elder statesman" of the Republican party had been talking at random in a quiet quarter-hour visit at his beautiful Ogle county home, "Sinnissippi Farm," overlooking the Rock river, near Oregon. And from the windows of his room, where he has been confined with a cold the past three weeks, one may behold at any season scenic pictures to rival an artist's dream of natural loveliness. Just now, the pines in the grove are mantled with snow, and the broad expanse of the river curves in a sparkling boundary past the house and the fertile acres beyond. Mr. Lowden looks out frequently upon the scene, in which he finds endless enjoyment, although he plans to put the wintry landscape of northern Illinois behind him early next month to follow the sun to Tucson.



Frank O. Lowden

At the question, Mr. Lowden halted a moment. He had been conversing on a number of topics, ranging from the blooded Holsteins and Kentucky-stock saddle horses housed in the huge barns nearby, to plans for a birthday dinner with his family last evening. There had also been mention of bleak conditions abroad, the lease-lend bill, and related problems, but the former governor asked that he not be quoted on the latter subjects.

### Issues Statement

Concentrating on a statement of what it all means to him now, and speaking with the same dignified seriousness and conciseness that characterized his manner at the bar and on the stump in former years, Mr. Lowden offered the following comment:

"I know that these are dark days. I still believe, however, in the divine order of the universe. Under this order mankind, from the beginning, has always moved forward. There have been lapses in this movement, but following, there have always been new gains.

"Under this beneficent order, the lot of the average man has continuously improved. Under the representative republic which our fathers founded, this improvement has been more marked than under any other form of government devised by man.

"Unless we destroy it ourselves, the Great Republic will endure. I have never lost my faith that right triumphs in the end. If we shall exhibit the courage which our heritage calls for, I think we may look forward to the future with faith and hope."

Although he did not refer to the fact, it is well known that few men in American history came closer to the Presidency without attaining it than did the Ogle county lawyer-politician—and few others refused as many appointments in high federal office. During a quarter century of political activity (he has always been a Republican regular), he held only two elective offices—membership in the national house of representatives (1906-11), and governor of Illinois (1917-21). He declined posts in the administrations of half a dozen presidents, McKinley, Taft, Harding, Coolidge, Hoover, and Franklin D. Roosevelt, and in 1924, upset all precedent by refusing the nomination for the vice-presidency.

### Stumped for Coolidge

He stumped the country for Coolidge and Charles G. Dawes, saw them elected, and retired to "Sinnissippi," although three years later, he was unofficially nominated for the Presidency in a corn belt revolt resulting from Coolidge's veto of the McNary-Haugen farm relief bill, supported by Mr. Lowden. For a year, he said nothing more definite about his candidacy than his famous remark: "No man ever ran away from the Presidency." He finally declared himself a candidate, but the party went into convention, and made Herbert Hoover its choice.

He has been recognized not only as one of the country's leading lawyers, but has also been known internationally as an agricultural authority. It was the latter that made him the mid-west's favorite son as a Presidential candidate with the coming of the long farm slump after the World war. "Sinnissippi Farm," consisting of 4,500 acres or more, has been the scene of various soil and plant experiments, and is considered one of the finest tracts in the country.

Reduction of taxes, penal reform, hard road and waterway construction, farm relief, and various business activities have occupied Mr. Lowden during a busy lifetime. Honorary degrees have been bestowed upon him by ten universities and colleges, including his first alma mater, the University of Iowa, Knox college, Northwestern university (where Lowden Hall was named in his honor), the University of Chicago, University of Colorado, Lafayette and William and Mary colleges, Miami university, Washington and Lee university, and Syracuse university.

### Blacksmith's Son

He was born on a farm near Sunrise, Minn., Jan. 26, 1861, the son of a blacksmith, Lorenzo Lowden. When he was about seven, his father loaded family and goods in to a prairie schooner and set out for St. Paul, to board a river steamer for Dubuque, Iowa, from where they traveled overland to

## State Has Opening for Young Doctors

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27—(AP)—State Health Director R. R. Cross announced today he had openings in his department for 14 young doctors who desire to make public health work their career.

Five, upon completion of a year's training in public health beginning in February at state and federal expense, would be eligible to take civil service examinations for district health superintendent and other public health service positions.

The department has openings for nine doctors to be placed as assistants to the superintendents in district health offices Feb. 1. Next Year these would have an opportunity to take a public health training course to qualify for permanent positions.

## Illinois General Assembly to End Recess Tomorrow

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27—(AP)—The Illinois legislature will end a two-week recess tomorrow, when Gov. Dwight H. Green is expected to send to the senate for confirmation another list of appointments to fill executive positions in the new state administration.

Without announcing the number of posts to be filled, the governor said the appointments probably would include several assistant department directors. Awaiting appointment by the governor also are various commissions, including the board of pardons and paroles and the commerce commission.

Legislators expected permanent committees of the house and senate to be announced this week by Speaker Elmer J. Schnackenberg and by Lieut. Gov. Hugh W. Cross and Senator Arnold P. Benson, the latter president pro tem of the senate. It was to allow time for the committee selection that the general assembly recessed on Jan. 15.

### Sees Police Board

Governor Green scheduled a conference for this afternoon with James B. McCahey, president of the Chicago Board of Education, and representatives of organized Chicago teachers, to discuss the ward bills that would raise the Chicago schools' tax levy limit from last year's \$48,000,000 to \$52,000,000 annually this year and the next two years.

The governor conferred at the executive mansion yesterday with members of his special state police advisory board headed by Brig. Gen. Thomas S. Hammond of Aurora. The board was created to aid the governor in selecting the personnel of the 350-member state police force.

## Rep. Simpson, New York Republican, Dies in Capital

New York, Jan. 27—(AP)—State Senator Frederick R. Coudert, Jr., and former Rep. Bruce Barton were mentioned today as probable Republican choices for the congressional vacancy caused by the death Saturday night of Rep. Kenneth F. Simpson.

Simpson, 45, died of a heart attack at his home after serving just 20 days in the 77th Congress as representative from Manhattan's 17th "silk stocking" district, an office held by Barton until the latter's recent unsuccessful bid for the Senate.

Chief accomplishment of Simpson in his brief tenure in his first elective office was the introduction in the House of a substitute for President Roosevelt's "lease-lend" bill for aid to Britain.

### Helped Name Wilkie

Leader for six years of the New York County Republican committee, Simpson's political career spanned 24 years in which he gained national recognition as a stormy but effective partisan.

He helped swing the 1940 Republican presidential nomination to Wendell L. Wilkie and in 1937 aided Thomas E. Dewey in becoming New York's District Attorney.

In later factional battles with the Dewey forces, Simpson lost his place on the Republican national committee, and recently resigned his chairmanship of the county committee in another intra-party squabble.

Governor Herbert H. Lehman is expected to call a special election shortly to fill the congressional vacancy.

## Illinois Soldiers Will Leave for Camp Mar. 15

Chicago, Jan. 27—(AP)—Staff officers of the 33rd division, Illinois National Guard, plan to open a training program next Monday at the 124th field artillery armory here for the unit's infantry instructors and artillery officers.

One infantryman from each of the 76 companies in the division will meet daily for instruction in infantry tactics. A similar school for 18 artillery officers will be held at the same time.

The instruction will continue until the division entrains about March 15 for Camp Forrest, Tenn., for its year's federal service.

## Slim Rationing in Germany Makes Entertaining Problem

By LOUIS P. LOCHNER  
Berlin, Jan. 27—(AP)—Social life in Germany, so far as it continues to exist in wartime, is determined by two considerations:

1. Will the British come with their bombers?  
2. What gastronomic entertainment can I afford my guests?

Both considerations have a necessary corollary: Invitations are issued only a day or two before a scheduled event.

As regards possible visits by prospective host studies the weather carefully and tries to make out some sort of a guess for the immediate future. He must be his own prophet, for weather reports are military secrets and the press no longer carries them.

If he is convinced that today's torrent of rain is likely to continue for the next two or three days, the host may decide to invite his guests for an evening of conviviality on the assumption that his "English cousins" won't come in such weather.

If he isn't sure of the weather, he may deem it the part of wisdom to invite guests to arrive as early as 4:30 P. M., in the expectation that they can depart in time to anticipate possible air raid alarms. If there is one thing a visitor dislikes it is to be caught between his host's home and his own in some strange shelter.

And that's where another rub comes in. Relatively few persons are masters of their own time and can afford to leave their jobs or offices in mid-afternoon, hence automatically many people invite others only for Sunday afternoons, only to find that some whom they hoped most to see have already accepted invitations elsewhere.

### Must Plan for Shelters

Supposing the host's calculations are wrong: that means taking his guests into a raid shelter with him. Before inviting anyone for an evening, therefore, the host must plan in advance on possible entertainment accommodations down below for his guests.

Even though no air alarms occur, entertaining is not an easy matter. That was true all through the first year of the war when air raids were almost unknown in most sections of the reich; it is equally true today.

Here is where the genius of the housewife comes in, for her problem is that of providing hospitality in a country which is on a strict ration basis.

I remember reading a story a few months ago of a princess of the royal Danish house who took ration cards with her to some social affair in Copenhagen and offered a certain number of coupons to her host.

Here in Germany, I have encountered nothing of the kind. German hosts would feel insulted if you tried to contribute even your ration card to the family budget.

Anybody living under normal conditions can hardly appreciate what it means for a hostess to give a real dinner nowadays, not that there isn't enough food in Germany to be satisfied, but rationing means a strict limitation to a person of what is necessary.

### Means Likely Privation

Hence, if your hostess produces a complete meal, it means in all likelihood that her family has short-changed itself for weeks in order, little by little, to save up enough butter, vegetables, sugar and potatoes, and that it generously shares the lucky windfall of having obtained say a goose or chicken from some friend out in the country.

So, one nice day, you wake up to hear the telephone ringing and some friend saying, "Could you come over for dinner the day after tomorrow? We managed to get a duck today and we'd like to have you share it with us. Please excuse my inviting you on such short notice, but of course I couldn't make arrangements until I was certain of the bird."

### Still Enough Wine

There is still plenty of wine and thin war-time beer around to complete that part of the menu. Testotolers, however, most likely as no drink plain water, for fruit juices are a thing of the past, at least in the winter-time.

It was months ago that the average German tasted real tea. That goes for coffee too. Germans probably have a greater yearning for coffee than any other people on earth and to have to do without it is a genuine hardship for many. The "ersatz" of barley is something quite different from coffee even though it bears the same proud name.

We, as Americans, are in a fortunate position, being able to obtain coffee because we can pay for it in foreign money. Good old American dollars have lost none of their potency as an international medium of exchange.

### Coffee Best Argument

On more than one occasion, when inviting friends, I have informed my guests that we would like to have them come over for a cup of real coffee. With an almost pathetic eagerness they would say:

I never know whether to feel flattered or humbled. I only know that coffee's my best sales argument.

Some months ago the Brazilian ambassador tried to present himself to Berlin officialdom and so-

ciety by giving an afternoon reception. He was amazed to find that virtually nobody sent regrets—his list, far larger than the actual number of guests he at first expected, ran into the hundreds.

"I am looking forward to the Brazilian embassy reception," one friend had told me. "I haven't had a cup of real coffee in months."

The poor man did not know that the shipment of coffee direct from Brazil intended for this party, had been lost somewhere between Lisbon and Berlin. The Brazilian embassy apparently telephoned all over Europe, both to trace the lost coffee and, if possible, to provide a substitute order. But it was of no avail, and guests who came in anticipation of being served real coffee were disappointed.

## Fire Hazards of War Pointed Out to Fire Fighters

Fire Chief Sam Cramer of the Dixon fire department is receiving numerous bulletins, sales circulars and explanations of fire prevention methods allegedly being used in war torn countries of Europe. One of the latest of these outlined a plan said to be practiced in Canada, which has been suggested to American fire departments. Experienced firemen are selected from regularly organized departments who volunteer for duty in the British Isles in the fire prevention service.

Cities cooperating in this program continue payment of the fireman's salary during his absence. The plan has been quite successful in several Canadian cities and has now reached American cities, some of which are reported to have responded by sending experienced fire fighters to England.

A bulletin received by Chief Cramer in this morning's mail, gave full information in the extinguishing of fire caused by incendiary bombs. Commenting upon the increased mail Chief Cramer said:

### Some Only Circulars

"Some of the bulletins are only sales circulars of some firm having something to sell. Others are practical in a way, but offer little that is not already known. Instructions given at state firemen's schools and actual demonstrations have acquainted Illinois firemen with the fundamentals of handling emergency situations and even incendiary bomb fires have been demonstrated in the schools."

Thermite, Chief Cramer said, is the chief content of the incendiary bomb, and fires resulting from these bombs cannot be extinguished with water, which only increases the heat to a point where it will burn concrete. Dry sand or talcum, applied in sufficient quantity to eliminate oxygen from reaching the flames, he added, are the recognized means of extinguishing incendiary bombs. Illinois firemen, the chief, stated have been given complete instruction in the most successful method of combating fires of such origin.

## Auditor Lueder Asks Help Filling Posts

Chicago, Jan. 27—(AP)—Arthur C. Lueder, the new Republican State Auditor, called today upon the men who do the "spade work" in political campaigns to lend him aid in the matter of patronage.

Lueder, explaining that there probably would be about 200 jobs open in his department, said he has asked 101 downstate Republican county chairmen and 80 Chicago ward and Cook county township committeemen to help him fill the positions.

Each of those party leaders, he explained, would have the privilege of assigning one appointee.

All applications, he added, will be "subject to rejection by me."

### He Said He Expected to Make Few Changes in the Bank Receiver-ship Section.

WM. A. RUEGG DIES  
Chicago—(AP)—Attorney William A. Ruegg, 48, former United States Commissioner at Springfield, died in Hines veteran hospital yesterday. He was brought here for treatment after he was found wounded Dec. 12, 1939 in a Springfield hotel room.

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## Organization Home Guard in Illinois Discussed Sunday

Chicago, Jan. 27—(AP)—The Illinois reserve militia, says its commander, Maj. Gen. John V. Clinkin, "is not concerned with politics."

At a staff conference, Gen. Clinkin asserted that the militia "will not fight unionism on one hand or capital on the other. It will enforce the laws of the state, if called upon to do so, without fear or favor."

The militia, created under authority of the governor, will replace the 33rd division, Illinois National Guard, as a state defense agency after the guard goes into federal service.

Militia plans discussed at the conference Saturday included: mobility and fast communications, with about eight radio-equipped squad cars manned by gas-gunners and riflemen to each company; heavy trucks serving as troop carriers; cooperation with state and city police forces; organization into six infantry regiments with total strength of 10,000.

Gen. Clinkin said militia uniforms would, in accordance with war department regulations, differ markedly from those of the regular army, national guard and marines. He added that tentative plans were for uniforms of dark green, with Illinois state insignia for adornment.

## Foreign Minister of Hungary Dead

Budapest, Hungary, Jan. 27—(AP)—Foreign Minister Count Istvan Csaky, 46, whose signature linked Hungary to the Rome-Berlin-Tokyo axis last November, died today after an illness of seven weeks.

The foreign minister, youngest in Hungary's history, had been in a coma since Saturday night. He was stricken last December 9 aboard a train in Yugoslavia just after signing a Yugoslav-Hungarian friendship pact.

His illness first was diagnosed as influenza but later as food poisoning.

Csaky's 28-year-old bride of eight months, the former Countess Marie Chorsinsky of Moravia, was at the bedside when death came.

Csaky, who had spent half of his life in the foreign office, became foreign minister in 1938 after the Munich conference, when a cabinet change growing out of dissatisfaction over Hungary's share of Czecho-Slovakia brought

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## Sponsor Luncheon

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## Desert Bridge Luncheon

Mrs. Oliver Dickinson entertained two tables at a desert bridge luncheon at her home on Thursday afternoon. After the luncheon bridge was played with Mrs. Joseph McGrath winning first; Mrs. Ed Jones, second, and Mrs. Irene Kelly all-out. The next meeting will be in two weeks with Mrs. John Fielding.

## Bridge Club

Mrs. Floyd Wedlock entertained her bridge club at her home on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Bert Hewitt and Mrs. John Wagner were subs. Both received guest prizes. Mrs. Bert Hewitt received traveling prize Mrs. Lloyd Dieter won first and Mrs. John McGowan, all-out. Dainty refreshments were served late in the afternoon by the hostess.

## Returned Home

Mrs. Melvil Appleman and baby son Frederick Gene returned to their home Friday afternoon after being cared for at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones.

Louis Fredricks spent Friday in Mendota on business.

him into the government. He had held the portfolio ever since. An ardent nationalist, Csaky was said to have enjoyed the confidence of both Benito Mussolini and Adolf Hitler. The key to his policy was in the assertion he often made that Hungary's greatest good was to be found in tightening her bonds with Germany.

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## Barrett Will Seek to Collect Three Millions in Taxes

Chicago, Jan. 27—(AP)—The state of Illinois will benefit to the extent of more than \$3,000,000 if Attorney General George F. Barrett succeeds in his proposed campaign to collect delinquent sales tax funds.

Announcing that the drive would be started after organization of his staff, the new attorney general said the money involved more than 2,200 judgments, some dating back to 1935, which were issued in Cook county.

Barrett said the judgments were against defendants who had collected the money from the general public and which was intended to be used for relief purposes. The money, however, was never turned over to the proper state officials, he added.

He explained that until a complete investigation was made in regard to each case, he could not determine the reason the money was not given to the state relief fund.

"We are going to find out why it has not been paid since the judgments were rendered and we are going to do our utmost to see that it is paid," Barrett declared. He added that with approximately 160,000 persons on relief in the state the money represented in the judgments was sufficient to keep more than 10,000 relief recipients for one year.

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125	64.89	33.25	22.72	17.46	14.31	12.21	9.60	8.04	
150	77.86	39.91	27.26	20.95	17.17	14.65	11.52	9.65	
200	103.69	53.14	36.29	27.88	22.84	19.48	15.31	12.82	
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# Society News

## Indian Chieftain from Wisconsin Is Club Speaker

Chief Whirling Thunder, a Winnebago Indian from Wisconsin, came to Dixon, Saturday afternoon, to address members of the Dixon Woman's club in the Loveland Community House auditorium. Saluting his audience with an eagle's feather, and at the same time remarking that he hoped the gesture would not be mistaken for an European salute, he proceeded with an entertaining and instructive program of Indian songs, dances, stories, and a demonstration of Indian sign language.

Eagle's feathers worn in Indian headresses, the speaker explained, were won by honorable deeds of service performed for the tribe, and are worn only by those earning the award.

Discussing the philosophy of the Indians' way of life, the chieftain referred to the sacred relationship between father and son (all religious training is given by the father—but no punishment is administered by him, for fear harshness will be instilled into the boy). Service to one's tribe and one's friends is the ideal of every Indian; friendship is sacred; songs in honor of friendship glorify those who are deceased and those living.

The speaker informed his audience he never knew of the murder of one Indian by another. The leader who led his tribe into battle and lost a man or so was considered a poor chief, the clubwomen learned.

The chief stood and offered prayer to the "father of all life," and all forms of life are respected. The peace pipe was used to consummate agreements, and once the sacred tobacco smoke had ascended to the Great Father,

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no Indian would ever break his promise.

The place of the Indian in modern civilization is difficult. Whirling Thunder declared, as he must know twice as much as the white man when he competes for the white man's job. Government schools have been allowed a per capita of 13 cents, and Indian children are regimented in such a manner as to arouse dissatisfaction.

Old ways have passed, Whirling Thunder mused. The great civilization of the Indian was not recognized by the white man. "The mellowed temperament of the Indian was a genuine contribution to the art of living which enabled men to live together peacefully," he said in conclusion.

Special music was furnished by a trio of clubwomen, including Mrs. Howard Byers, Mrs. Myrtle George, and Mrs. Crawford Thomas. Mr. Thomas was the accompanist.

## FREEPORT MUSIC GROUP ANNOUNCES CONCERT SERIES

The Community Concert association of Freeport has completed reorganization, and plans to sponsor a series of three concerts during the winter and spring. The first program, scheduled for the week of Feb. 10, is to be presented by the Gen. Platoff Don Cossacks.

The final attraction will be Albert Spalding, violinist, on April 30. A third program, to be given by an artist not yet selected, will be heard some time in March.

Donald L. Breed, Freeport publisher, heads the Community Concert committee.

## TAUBENHEIMS HAVE A SON

Dixon relatives are receiving announcement of the birth of a daughter, Patricia Joyce, to the Rev. and Mrs. Richard Taubenheim of Mansfield, Ohio, Jan. 20. The mother is the former Irma Norberg of Dixon.

Mr. Taubenheim, who was graduated from a Bible school in Toccoa Falls, Ga., is pastor of the United Evangelical church of Mansfield. He also formerly resided here.

## Mrs. Edwards and Mr. Westen Will Wed in Oak Park

The Rev. Charles Goff, Rockford clergyman, will be motoring to Berwyn on Wednesday morning to read the marriage vows of Mrs. Eleanor Edwards of this city and William H. Westen of Oak Park. The simple nuptial service will be solemnized at 10:30 o'clock at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Kotalik, 3224 Home avenue, the bride's brother-in-law and sister.

Only members of the immediate families of the bridal couple will be present. A wedding breakfast will be served at the Arms Hotel in Oak Park, following the ceremony.

Afterward, Mr. Westen and his bride will leave for the south and Arizona, to be gone a month. When they return, they will be at home at 936 North Humphrey, Oak Park.

Mrs. Edwards left for her sister's home in Oak Park last week, after completing the dismantling of her home at 516 South Hennepin avenue. Mr. Westen has been with the Commonwealth Edison company for a number of years.

## PALMYRA SOCIETY

Mrs. Hattie Weisz and Mrs. Robert Herbst were co-hostesses to the Palmyra Aid society Wednesday, their guests numbering 16 members and three visitors. Mrs. Butterbaugh, the president, conducted the business meeting.

Mrs. Louis Leydig led the devotional service. Afterward, routine reports were heard, a quilt was tied, and Red Cross work was completed.

The mid-winter picnic has been announced for Feb. 18. Because of it, there will be no regular meeting next month. Mrs. Elwood Rickard is to be the March hostess.

## CLUBWOMEN PLAN SUPPER

Members of St. Patrick's Catholic Women's club are planning a full evening of activity for Wednesday night. A 6:30 o'clock scramble supper in St. Mary's hall will be followed by a business meeting, and a card party to raise funds for British War Relief.

## TO WASHINGTON

Miss Bess Pankhurst expects to leave Tuesday evening for an extended visit with relatives in Seattle and Portland. At Seattle, she will be the guest of a cousin, Miss Ellen Loomis, and in Portland, she will visit another cousin, Mrs. J. B. Winstanley.

## LENA SOFOLO REACHES EIGHT

Mary Ann Sofolo was instigator of a birthday party Saturday afternoon, honoring the eighth anniversary of her sister, Lena Rose.

In games, prizes were won by Catherine Hewitt, Celia Ann Davis, and Rachel Smith. Mary Dulan and Catherine Hewitt entertained with tap dancing.

The decorated birthday cake was a gift from Mrs. Paul Sodegren. Lolly-pops were favors at the refreshment table.

Gifts were brought by the guests, who were Judy Jones, Rachel Smith, Celia Ann Davis, Mary Dulan, Marie Muhleback, Gladys Murphy, Sally McCoy, and Catherine Hewitt. Lena Rose and her guests are classmates in the third grade at St. Mary's school.

## CHICAGO GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bentley G. McCloud and Mr. and Mrs. John Hagey of Chicago were week end guests of Mrs. John G. Ralston at "Reynoldswood." Mr. McCloud is executive vice president of the First National bank of Chicago, and Mr. Hagey is a vice president of the same banking concern.

## Calendar

**Tonight**  
Lee County Historical society—In Loveland Community House; Mrs. Ira Lanphier, speaker.

Nelson Community club—At Cook school, 8 p. m.

**Tuesday**  
Amoma class, Baptist Sunday school—Mrs. Leo Youngblood, hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Dixon Woman's club—Will sponsor concert by Mme. Gladys Gilderoy Scott, English contralto, in Loveland Community House auditorium 8 p. m., for benefit of British War Relief.

Dixon Bethel, Job's Daughters of Illinois—Initiation, Brinton Memorial Masonic temple.

**Wednesday**  
Woonung Woman's club—All-day meeting; Mrs. Blinn Bryan, hostess.

Prairieville Social circle—Election of officers.

South Dixon Community club—Mrs. David Moore, hostess.

St. Patrick's Catholic Women's club—Scramble supper, 6:30, St. Mary's hall; card party.

## BAY-WENDAL BRIDAL IS READ

Miss Evelyn Maxine Wendal, daughter of the Glen Wendals of this city, became the bride of Carl Edward Bay, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bay of rural route 3 Thursday afternoon at the court house in Clinton, Iowa. The bridegroom's father and Millard Webster witnessed the nuptial ceremony.

The couple are at home temporarily with the bridegroom's parents, but expect to move soon to a nearby bungalow, also owned by his father.

Mrs. Bay was graduated from Dixon high school. The bridegroom, who has accepted employment at the Reynolds Wire company, was finalist in the Golden Gloves boxing tournament of 1939, and appeared in the semi-finals in '38.

## COMMUNITY SING

Fifty or more guests turned out for the weekly community sing yesterday afternoon at the Loveland Community House. A special number, in addition to the program announced earlier, was a cutting from Alphonse Daudet's "The Last Class," an incident on the capture of Alsace-Lorraine by the Germans in 1870, presented by Mrs. H. V. Luke.

Miss Franc Ingraham, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Auman, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Marth acted as hosts and hostesses yesterday afternoon, in the absence of Mrs. F. Dora B. Hughes, who has been unable to preside as Sunday afternoon hostess at the civic center for some time, due to injuries sustained six weeks ago in a fall.

Louis Leydig will lead the community singing next Sunday.

## FAREWELL COURTESIES

Mary Risley invited about a dozen school friends to her home, following the Rockford-Dixon game on Saturday evening. Janet Wimpelberg, who leaves later in the week with her mother for a new home in the south, was guest of honor. Games were followed by refreshments.

On Thursday evening, Janet shared honors with Jeanne Smith at a farewell party given by Laura Williams at the Charles Johnston home. Jeanne left the following morning with her parents for Danville, Ill., to reside.

## WED IN POLO

Miss Helen Rindesbacher and Thomas Bowen of Monroe, Wis. were married Thursday afternoon in Polo. Justice of the Peace R. M. Brand read the vows. C. L. Bowen of Monroe, the bridegroom's father, attended the couple.

## ZION CLUB

Members of the Zion Household Science club have been invited to the home of Mrs. Joseph Geiger at Rock Falls for an all-day meeting on Thursday.

## BUFFET SUPPER

The C. B. Lindells were hosts to about 12 guests at a buffet supper, following the Rockford-Dixon basketball game Saturday evening.

## PRAIRIEVILLE CIRCLE

Members of Prairieville Social circle will elect officers at an all-day meeting Wednesday at the church.

## VISITS UNCLE

Mrs. Wilbur Hart is spending two weeks in Evanston with her uncle.

## Good Old Winter Time



Olivia de Havilland—Leaves sunny Hollywood now and again for a day among the snows of Lake Arrowhead and a chance to cut (not a rug) but a figure-eight, on the ice. Miss Olivia is starred with Errol Flynn in "Santa Fe Trail" and with James Cagney in "Strawberry Blonde."

## Entertains for Miss Marie Kelly

Miss Marie Kelly, former director of Dixon Girl Scouts, visited here during the week end, and friends were crowding as much visiting as possible into the hours of her stay. On Saturday evening, Mrs. Edwin W. Merrick, Jr. was entertaining with a dessert-bridge for Miss Kelly, who is now Girl Scout director in Gary, Ind.

Two tables were formed for contract, following the sweet course served by Mrs. Merrick. Miss Alice Meppin and Miss Lois Stindling received score favors in the card games, and there was also a guest favor for Miss Kelly. Other guests were Mrs. John W. Mills, Mrs. James Miley, Mrs. John R. McLane, Miss Avis Toot, and Miss Frances Patrick.

Miss Kelly returned to the home of her parents at LaGrange yesterday afternoon, after an overnight visit with Mrs. Gus Wimpelberg. Mrs. Wimpelberg, who was Girl Scout commissioner while Miss Kelly was in Dixon, leaves Thursday afternoon or Friday by motor for Shelbyville, Tenn. to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Wells

have leased the Wimpelberg home at 1513 Third street.

## BIRTHDAY SUPPER

The birthday anniversary of Paul Potts was the incentive for a surprise celebration last evening. Mrs. Potts arranged the party, including Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Boyd, Miss Anna Jean Crabtree and Don Danielson, Miss Leone Kreim and George Campbell, Miss Bettie Haines and Bob Bovey on her guest list.

Bridge games were followed by a birthday supper. Bettie Haines and George Campbell won honors at the card tables.

## MT. CARROLL GUESTS

Miss Lillian Tomlinson and Mrs. F. Dora B. Hughes were entertaining visitors from Mt. Carroll, their former home, Friday afternoon. Their guests included Mrs. Dell M. Babcock, Mrs. Mabel Graham, Mrs. Sherman Myers, and Mrs. Alice Demmon.

## SOUTH SIDE CLUB

Mrs. Frank Philpott was hostess at luncheon and contract today for members of the South Side club.

## DIXON COUPLE IS WED 57 YEARS

The Rev. and Mrs. D. B. Martin of 821 Palmyra avenue quietly observed the fifty-seventh anniversary of their marriage on Friday. The couple were married in Chambersburg, Pa., but have resided in Illinois for a number of years.

Mr. Martin was formerly pastor of the Brethren in Christ church at Franklin Corners, near Morrison, and still substitutes in the pulpit occasionally.

The couple have three children, Jesse Martin of Dixon, Mrs. Elizabeth Gayman of Polo, and Mrs. Mary Gilbert of near Polo. There are also 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

## WOOSUNG CLUB

Mrs. Blinn Bryan will be hostess at an all-day meeting of the Woonung Woman's club on Wednesday.

## DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. John Davies entertained with a 7 o'clock dinner Friday evening.

## PIGEON HUNTER KILLED

Marengo, Ill. — (AP) — Carl Mack, 15, was shot accidentally and killed by a blast from a shotgun while he and a companion were shooting pigeons on a farm near here Saturday.

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**GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:** "Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of the favorite are liable to become suspected and repudiated by those who suppose that the apoplexy and confidence of the people to surrender their interests." From the Farewell Address.

**Hang Your Clothes on a Hickory Limb**  
Eighty-eight per cent of the American people still wanted to keep out of the war as of January 10, according to reports on a Gallup poll printed in the Congressional Record. The remainder, or 12 per cent, wanted to go to war. Geographically, 14 per cent of the people in the far west wanted war, 17 per cent in the south, 9 per cent in the west central states, 10 per cent in the east central, and 13 per cent in New England and the middle Atlantic states. Judging by that report, it represents public opinion, the country ought to be quite pacific. But judging by the hullabaloo going on, with numerous men warning that we are marching toward the brink and others warning that we are subject to bombing raids, there is considerable confusion. Add those conditions to the fact that probably 56 per cent of the people want to continue aid to England, and the confusion is perfect. There is a story that in the old horse and buggy days a wealthy man wanted to hire a coachman. He interviewed a number of applicants and told them, each in turn, to see how close they could drive along the edge of a precipice. One drove the coach within 6 inches of the brink. Another came within 2 inches, and a third, to show his expertise, drove with part of the iron tires over the edge. The fourth applicant mounted the coach, chirruped to the tandem and drove as far away from the cliff as he could. Said the wealthy man to the fourth driver: "You're the man I want." That was the rational thing to do, for no matter what the employer said, what he really wanted was safety, and safety lay as far from the brink as one could drive. Perhaps that story has no connection with the war situation, but if 88 per cent of the people want to remain out of the war, and if 86 per cent want to continue helping Britain, their wishes are inconsistent with the judgment of the coachman who couldn't be hired to tease fate.

The United States is a sovereign country, able under international law to go to war or keep out of war at will. Practically speaking, however, we can't follow, with any certainty as to the outcome, one course designed to lead to war, and another designed to keep out of war simultaneously—unless happily the war ends quickly with no threat in its wake. Apparently the United States government feels that by continued aid to Britain, short of war, we shall enable the British not only to ward off invasion, but also to conquer the nazis. This does not appear possible to some military men. Perhaps the administration has information that Hitler faces a revolution, or that Russia will join the allies, or that the occupied countries are about to rebel. If so, our own future is clearer. But in case Hitler should compel the British to sue for peace, then he would control not only the European continent and England, but also Russia and Africa. He would feel free, then, to build up a mighty navy and either attempt an invasion of the Western Hemisphere, or wage economic war by means of blockade. Now arises further confusion. Hitler has earned the dislike of every American by stirring up the war. His method of making war has caused more harm to civilians than to the opposing armies, and we don't like that. How many Americans would sit tight in a state of mental neutrality while outrages are being perpetrated against other neutrals? We could, by sitting tight and saying nothing, imagine that after he defeated England, if he does, he would feel friendly toward us and not try to extend his system here by hook or by crook. But the American people are not built that way. When they see something they don't like, they do something about it. They don't care to fight, but they wish to aid those whom Hitler has attacked. The situation is thus confused. We hang our clothes on a hickory limb, but don't care to take the plunge. The result is that we shall be controlled by events rather than by our own desires.

**Service Period Indefinite**  
Theoretically, National Guardsmen called into service last fall would be returning to their homes this fall, having completed a year's training according to the present. But, the Army and Navy Journal warns, it is quite likely that they may be held longer than that unless the international situation grows less tense before fall. Congress could easily extend the now limited one-year service. Selective service trainees, only now beginning to reach the camps in large numbers, will eventually be assigned to organized units. But if National Guard components of those units were to be sent home only a few months after the drafted men arrive, the units will be dislocated for training purposes. So there is more than a chance that men of the Guard may be held a little longer. The point in bringing it up is: might as well get used to the idea and not be too disappointed if it happens. No country can extend a citizenship that is all privilege and no duty.—Attorney General Robert H. Jackson. Making the punishment fit the crime! A Missouri man stole 24 electric fans and wound up in the cooler.

SERIAL STORY

CONSCRIPT'S WIFE

BY BETTY WALLACE

YESTERDAY: Paul parks on a byroad, after Martha tells him of Suzanne's threat to go to Bill. Paul admits he is in love with Martha, but has kept it secret, because he is Bill's friend. He demands that she come back to the office and give up this killing work. Martha refuses, asks to go home. Paul flames the car into gear, drives out on to the highway. A car speeds toward them. There is a crash!

AFTER THE ACCIDENT

CHAPTER XIX

WHEN Martha Marshall opened her eyes, at last, she was lying on someone's coat in the road. A man was bending over her. A strange man, with frightened eyes, like burned-out holes in his face. "Are you all right now?" he asked huskily. "I'm—fine." Memory came flooding over her. People, magically appearing from nowhere, were milling around her. They must have stopped their cars on the highway, she thought vaguely. When the crash came . . . She became aware, then, that there was a stinging on her cheek. One arm was numb. She lifted her head, and the man bent quickly and slid his arm under her shoulder. Her head was spinning. But she could sit up. She said, "I'm all right. Nothing broken." The man looked down at her leg. Her stockings were torn, and there was blood. But Martha touched the spot and told him, "A scratch. See?" She moved her legs, and then she was clinging to him, to stand. The faces of people, the moving lights from electric torches, the beams from parked cars, all made a reeling pinwheel before her eyes. "Paul? Is he all right?" Wordlessly, the man turned his head. Martha saw then the little group around something on the ground. Horror welled up inside her. She tried to go toward them. "Don't," the man said. "Wait."

BUT she couldn't wait. She walked shakily, scarcely knowing she walked, to where they were bending over Paul. "Is he dead?" she asked fearfully. "Is he dead?" A state trooper straightened. "No, he's not dead. He's had a nasty knock on the head, though." A woman told her, gently, "There's an ambulance coming." She tried to lead the girl away. "You can't do anything. Don't look."

The shrill whine of a siren filled the air. Always, afterwards, the sound of a siren was to bring back to Martha Marshall that hour of horror; the white stretcher onto which they lifted Paul's prostrate body; the grave face of the ambulance surgeon; the voices of

More Than 7,000 Illinois Men to be Inducted Soon

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Illinois draft officials prepared today to induct more than 7,000 men into one year's military training in the state before the end of February.

Paul G. Armstrong, state director of selective service, announced today the tentative February draft quota for Illinois is 5,213 of which 2,867 or 55 per cent will be taken from Cook county. The Cook county induction will include 860 Negroes.

Only 2,700 of the 4,739 selectees called in January have been inducted, Armstrong said, and an attempt to place the remainder of this group in the army before the end of this month will be made. The draft director reported that a study of Illinois draft registrants by age groups had revealed that there were fewer 21-year-old men than of any other age.

Of the state-wide registration of 1,010,390 men within selective service ages, 62,500 or 6.19 per cent were 21 years old. The largest age group was that of 26-year-olds with 70,574 registrants, or 6.99 per cent.

"I believe that there can be no doubt that the smaller number of 21-year-old men shows conclusively the effect of the last war on the birth rate," Armstrong said. Men who are 21 now were born in 1919.

There were more 35-year-old men registered in proportion to the population of the state in their year of birth than registered in any other age group. There were 67,250 in this group—13 per cent of the state's population in 1905, as compared with an average population percentage of 11.7 for all registrants on the basis of population of the state in their birth years.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Washington, Jan. 27.—The most successful defense job this government has done is one that no one is supposed to know about. Danger of wholesale strikes upsetting the rearmament program at the outset has been largely averted. It has been done without publicity, forcefully and amicably. Democracy, in this instance at least, has shown it can work.

The unsung history of how it has worked can be condensed into an illustrative example. A strike call had been issued in one of the production plants most vital to immediate necessities. Usual efforts to negotiate had failed. Up until half an hour before the strike was to be called, it seemed not even a Supreme court writ could stop it. But fifteen minutes before the time a government official, John R. Steelman, head of the Bureau of Conciliation, conceived an idea that might prevent the disastrous break to labor's prestige. Steelman secured the help of Labor Secretary Perkins. He put in a joint telephone call for the heads of the respective strikers and the management. His conversation with them ran something like this:

Miss Perkins has prepared a telegram to both you people, which she will send if this strike occurs. I have it right here before me and I can assure you that the newspapers will have it tomorrow morning. I need not tell you that it will not do either of your causes any good. Now why don't you be sensible and get together on this thing?

They did, in five minutes. While newspapers were on the street proclaiming the impossibility of avoiding this grave threat to American security, the miracle was arranged by the simple process of a little ingenuity and pressure.

These things have happened nearly every day in some degree or other the past few weeks. There was an occasion when a north-west lumber company strike tied up large quantities of this product ordered for defense construction. The strike seemed likely to go on indefinitely until Steelman got another idea. To bring together the necessary persons who were separated all around the country, he arranged a telephone hookup with his own conciliator in Seattle, an officer of the carpenters union in Portland, the manager of a large logging company who was in New York attending the convention of the National Association of Manufacturers, and himself. After half an hour of long-distance telephone argument, the strike was settled. The government was glad to pay the telephone bill.

These and other similar accomplishments by Sidney Hillman, the president's labor director in defense, have kept the situation from getting out of hand. Their troubles are not over, but they have succeeded in bringing labor around during the past five weeks to a general realization of its unusual new responsibilities. Up until that time cooperation was lacking and it looked like quite a job in view of the varying political and selfish elements bound to exist in such a widespread movement.

The heavy responsibility for keeping things this way in the future will devolve not upon Hillman but upon Steelman. Hillman may be the front man who gets name in the papers, but Steelman is in the spot and has the facilities to do the work.

His conciliation service is being expanded and streamlined as part of the defense program. He is now undertaking twenty-four-hour service on twelve-hour notice anywhere in the United States. Four regional supervisors have been placed around the country and Roosevelt has asked Congress for funds to provide twenty more expert conciliators, which will give him one hundred. His service has been declared a "national defense agency" by the Civil Service Commission, along with the FBI and several others.

The strength of Steelman's position is based on its complete divorce from labor politics. Both the A. F. of L. and C. I. O. acknowledge its pure judicial reputation, and like it. The A. F. of L. convention in November, for instance, adopted a resolution protesting "the confusion which must arise if more than one federal agency enters the field of conciliation." The convention wanted the Steelman conciliation division to do the job. C. I. O.'s Phil Murray likewise has made statements favoring this course of individual settlement rather than overall disregard of the Democratic rights of labor to strike. The metal trades department of A. F. of L. a few days ago made a declaration that where efforts of management and labor failed to bring adjustment "the services of the division of conciliation, department of labor, must be speedily secured."

**People's Column**  
**JUST A SUGGESTION**  
Nearly every newspaper one picks up he will note an article stating that some factory has been awarded a big contract to produce some defense program material, or where a large factory is to be built to produce something for the preparedness program. So far Dixon and Lee county has been the "Forgotten Locality." Yet right here in our city we have a fine up-to-date factory, wonderfully located as to shipping facilities that has stood idle for years: The Case Factory. Just as a suggestion the writer was wondering if the city officials and our Chamber of Commerce were putting forth as much effort to obtain one of these "War Babies", for our city as was used to sponsor the bonfire on the island. It is a fact that just now there are more vacant houses in our city than at any time for the past several years. The writer trusts that this will be taken more as a suggestion than as a criticism, and feels that it is worth consideration. A HOME OWNER.

**Church Societies**  
**New Organization**—A new organization, to be known as the Women's Association of the First Presbyterian church of Dixon, was formed at a recent meeting in the church. The reorganization was made after careful study of methods used in a number of other churches in co-ordinating the women's work, eliminating overlapping efforts and reaching a larger proportion of women more effectively. Officers elected to serve one year are: President, Mrs. George Lindquist; vice president, Mrs. George D. Bort; Mrs. C. C. Clausen, Mrs. Harry Cook, and Mrs. J. B. Lennon. Their assistants will be Mrs. Otto B. Gerlach, Mrs. M. F. Hake, Mrs. Morey C. Pires, and Mrs. W. H. Ware. Committee chairmen will be appointed by the new president. An experimental plan of organization has been adopted for the first year, and a constitution will be drawn up later on the basis of experience. Monthly meetings will be held for all women of the church on the first Tuesday of each month. The membership will be divided into four groups, which will meet individually on the third Tuesday of each month. Four meetings of the larger association will be held in the evening. Each association meeting will include a devotional period, business session, program and social period. Membership in the association is open to all women of the church, and to all others who by attendance, service or contribution indicate a desire to participate in the work. The programs have been planned tentatively to include three missionary programs, two social education discussions, one young people's program and four miscellaneous periods. "The Seven Ages of Women" The organization's program was opened with a dramatic sketch, "The Seven Ages of Women," written and directed by Mrs. Herbert J. Doran. The cast of characters for the tableaux and music included: Reader, Mrs. Henry C. Pollock; soloist, Mrs. John W. Mills; assistant director, Mrs. George Ites; school girl, Donna McCord; nurse maid, Beverly Gehant; graduate, Virginia Morant; sweetheart, Dorothy Fenn; bride, Evelyn Gier; mother, Jeanette Andrews; grandmother, Mrs. George A. Ward; Henry C. Pollock was in charge of the stage and properties.

**Fires at 2 Army Posts and Naval Base Are Probed**  
Norfolk, Va., Jan. 27.—(AP)—The Navy sought today to learn the source of a fire at the Norfolk naval operating base which caused damage estimated at \$275,000 to communications and administration offices and destroyed a quantity of official documents. The damage estimate was made by Capt. H. G. McClure, commander of the naval training station. Starting in the radio room about 9 a. m. Sunday, the flames spread to the auditorium and paymaster's office. **AT FORT ONTARIO** Oswego, N. Y., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Ruins of the supply wing of the administration building at ancient Fort Ontario were under guard today pending investigation of a fire that sent 14 soldiers of Harlem's 369th anti-aircraft regiment to the hospital. Most of the injured, said Col. Chauncey Hooper, regimental commander, suffered second-degree burns in rescuing army records last night. Colonel Hooper announced that a board of inquiry would be appointed today to ascertain origin of the blaze and to estimate damage.

**AT FORT MEADE**  
Fort George G. Meade, Md., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Flames swept through the framework of a new cold storage plant being built at Fort Meade, damaging machinery and causing slight injury to several soldiers who aided firemen. Fire Chief S. E. Duncan said the blaze last night, which was confined to the framework of the new building, was believed to have been caused by an overheated "salamander fire" used to keep the newly-poured concrete from freezing. Officials gave no estimate of the damage.

**Contracts Let by War Department for Defense Projects in Missouri**  
St. Louis, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Contracts totaling \$111,000,000 have been let by the war department since June 1 for the construction and expansion of national defense plants in Missouri, a report released today by the Mississippi Valley Association shows. This amount is higher than for any other state in the country, the report disclosed. West Virginia ranked second in contracts with \$85,353,000. The MVA is an organization of industrial, commercial and agricultural interests in 23 mid-continent states. The report showed Illinois has received \$45,747,000 in similar contracts; Iowa, \$44,273,000; Indiana, \$51,000,000.

**Germans Release Former French Fascist Leader**  
Vichy, France, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Col. Francois de La Roque, former commander of the fascist Croix de Feu organization, was released by German authorities at Paris today and crossed back into the unoccupied zone of France, it was reported here. Sources here said the rightist leader, who had been named a member of Chief of State Marshal Petain's advisory council, was arrested January 24. His home, automobile and papers were searched. De la Roque was questioned. It was said, about unauthorized meetings of his followers which he was reported to have been holding in the occupied zone. He left Paris immediately after his release for his home at Clermont-Ferrand.

**Lodges**  
**Junior Elks**—The Junior Elks of Dixon lodge, No. 779 B. P. O. E. will provide an evening of rare entertainment for their seniors Wednesday evening at the club house, the program beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Chairman, Paul Potts, of the junior committee has assured an excellent program of entertainment for all members of the lodge, at the conclusion of which refreshments will be served. **Elks**—A regular meeting of Dixon lodge, No. 779, B. P. O. E. will be held this evening at 7:30 at the club house.

**Townsend Club No. 1** will meet in Woodman hall Wednesday evening unless weather conditions are too severe. Ladies will take sandwiches for the social session to follow the business session.

**Boy Scout News**  
Troop No. 89—Scouts of Troop 89 will be guests of their sponsors the Dixon Lions club Tuesday evening at a banquet and program to take place at the Loveland Community House at 6:30. All members of the troops will assemble at their quarters in the Telegraph building at 6 o'clock in full uniform and will march to the Community building.

**WALKER CONFIRMED**  
Washington, Jan. 27.—(AP)—The senate confirmed today President Roosevelt's nomination of Frank C. Walker to be postmaster general.

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88 Challenger—Sunday only	6:17 A.M.	8:40 A.M.
26 Clinton Passenger—Daily except Sunday	7:10 A.M.	9:35 A.M.
12 Columbine	5:25 P.M.	7:55 P.M.
14 Pacific Limited—Daily	6:20 P.M.	8:45 P.M.

WESTWARD TRAINS

No. Train	Leave Chicago	Arrive Dixon
15 Columbine—Daily	11:45 P.M.	2:30 A.M.
21 Pacific Limited—Daily	1:35 A.M.	1:37 P.M.
25 Clinton Passenger—Daily except Sunday	5:05 P.M.	7:25 P.M.
11 Corn King Limited—Daily	6:25 P.M.	8:40 P.M.
87 San Francisco Challenger—Daily	10:30 P.M.	12:40 A.M.
717 Los Angeles Challenger—Daily (See Note)	10:20 P.M.	12:17 A.M.
27 San Francisco Overland, Daily (See Note)	10:25 P.M.	12:30 A.M.

Note—No. 27 and 717 will stop on signal only to receive revenue sleeping car passengers for Grainger and beyond.

**Senate Committee Votes Approval of Big Naval Program**  
Washington, Jan. 27.—(AP)—The Senate naval committee approved unanimously today a \$1,209,000,000 program for expanding naval shipbuilding and ordnance facilities, modernizing the fleet's anti-aircraft defense and constructing 400 small vessels. The committee acted on the House approved legislation after hearing testimony that lessons learned from the European war had showed the work was necessary. Most of the new vessels are expected to be built this year. They would include patrol boats, local defense craft, escort, salvage and towing ships, accounting for \$400,000,000 of the program. In response to a question from Chairman Walsh (D-Mass.) Rear Admiral S. S. Robinson, chief of the Navy's Bureau of Ships, said that 36 of them would be suitable for conveying ships to Europe. Modernization of the fleet's air defense, incorporating improvements in armor and anti-aircraft guns suggested by the European war, the admiral said would be carried on over a period of several years. When the program is completed, he added, "you can be sure that our ships will be a little better than the other fellow's if we get into any sort of mix-up." The Senate later passed unanimously and sent to the White House the legislation authorizing a \$200,000,000 expenditure for modernizing the fleet's air defense. The chamber acted within an hour after the naval committee had approved the legislation. Witnesses at the hearing testified that increased protection against air attack had been shown to be necessary because of lessons learned from the European war. Chairman Walsh (D-Mass.) of the naval committee said he would call up later authorizing totalling \$909,000,000 for expanding navy shipbuilding and ordnance works and building 400 small naval craft, which also had been approved by the committee earlier in the day.

**Deaths**  
**Suburban—**  
**GEORGE E. WELCH**  
(Telegraph Special Service)  
Polo, Jan. 27.—George Everett Welch, 80, passed away at 9 o'clock Sunday morning at the Ogle county home near Oregon. Funeral services will be held at the Strickler funeral home here at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. L. V. Lovell, pastor of the Christian church officiating. Burial will be in Fairmount. Mr. Welch was born in England in 1854 and came to the state of Maine, with his parents, when he was seven years of age. He was married in 1872, in Portland, Me., to Elizabeth Parker, who preceded him in death twelve years ago. He is survived by one son, Raymond, of Polo, three grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

**Happy Birthday**  
**JANUARY 27**  
Imagee—Minnie, 11; Polo; Mrs. McKinley Anderson, Polo; Helen Stewart; James Green, 14, Telegraph carrier-salesmen.

**JANUARY 28**  
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# Fanfare

By DON DANIELSON

## EXPLANATION DEPARTMENT

You may have spent yesterday wondering why the East Rockford cagers stalled in the closing minutes of the sophomore game Saturday night when they were trailing, 38 to 34. Coach Harry Palmer was curious about it too. It seems that the East Siders mis-read the Dixon scoreboard. If you'll picture in your mind's eye the words "locals" and "visitors" are used on the scoreboards to designate the opposing quintets. Underneath the scores are the words "Dixon Fans" and the first word corresponds with the "visitors" score . . . which would make it appear as though the Lindellmen were trailing. Several persons have suggested that the lower words of the scoreboard might better be eliminated to prevent any further confusion.

## EARLY MORNING KEGLERS

The Bovey bowling clan opened the Dixon Recreation yesterday morning leading off the winter's day with some melting scores. Off to a bad start, Bob recovered to set an impressive marking on the score sheets. He counted: 98 (hmmmm!) 295, 195 and 215 (well!) Brother Fred rolled games of 137, 152, 187 and "140 something." You can't beat fun, can you, boys?

## WEDDING BELLS

A marriage license appeared in the Clinton Herald Friday, naming Carl Bay and Evelyn Wendel both of Dixon. The former, you know, is one of the city's boxers and he was scheduled to appear in the Sterling Golden Gloves preliminaries, but appears to have had another "engagement"—ouch, a pun!

## BIRTHDAY PASTIME

Paul Potts spent the first hours of his birthday (yesterday) trying to crash C. B. Lindell's 200 Club. When the midnight hour passed and Paul's birthday dawned he was at the Lindell home experimenting with high scores on the miniature bowling alley. As a special gift to Paul he was given a chance to start over each time he failed to get a strike, but somehow the little pins wouldn't fall and although he chubbed up an impressive score he failed to make the "200 club".

## "BOY SCOUT" PARADE

Members of the Sterling basketball team paraded into the Dixon gymnasium Saturday night to watch the Dukes maneuver against the East Rockford quintets. Along with the Sterling team were members of the coaching staff—all of whom are interested in finding a way to spill the Dukes in the second meeting of the two teams this season next Friday night at Sterling. And that, brother, will be a game!

## WINTER WONDERLAND

The week end snow storm brought the young people outdoors and held some of the oldests nearer their firesides. Among those to enjoy the winter wonderland were Miss Margaret Howard and Kenneth Abbott who roamed through the woods on a cross-country skiing trip.

## FINIS FOR GOLDEN GLOVES

The finals of the preliminary tournament in the Golden Gloves will be held at Sterling Wednesday night. Listed on the card—among some 15 bouts—are: Jack Hess of Woonung vs. William West of Stockton at 175 pounds; Lino Querieri of Sterling-Rock Falls and Benny Egan of Stockton in the heavyweight division; Weldon Wagenknecht of Oregon CCC camp and John Cravatt of Savanna at 118 pounds in the novice division; Floyd Reynolds of Princeton and Charles Atkins of Walnut at 135 pounds; John Thomas of Dixon and Eddie Frieberg of Princeton at 126 pounds; Bob Hicks of Harmon and William Ellis of Stockton at 160 pounds.

## THE ALLEY RAT!

With a gallery to applaud him, Dixini Editor Jack Ferger, rolled a 145 in his second game of a "revenge" match at the Dixon Recreation yesterday afternoon. In the threesome were Quarterback Warren Walder and a victim of Ferger's editorial lashings. In the two-game match (we're a dead pigeon for this) Walder collected 100-91 for 191 (easy mathematics); Ferger rolled 130-145 for 275 and "guess who" counted 181-121 for a lucky 302 which he no more deserved than Adam and looked suspiciously like a pact with the pin-setter.

## TOURNAMENT SIDELIGHTS

Now the pressure is off for the Ashton Aces and they are among the human beings again. . . It's too bad and the little town is steeped in sorrow about the tragedy . . . the Aces had defeated Leaf River before, not once but TWICE. . . that's what makes it so cutting. . . Coach Paul Vaupel of the Leaf River champions is a former Ashton man . . . and Coach T. A. Vaux of the Aces hailed from Stillman Valley . . . makes a complication of sympathies.

## KNACKS TO MT. MORRIS TONIGHT

Through the snow drifts of mid-winter the Dixon Knacks will play their way to Mt. Morris tonight for another benefit performance to aid in the fight against infantile paralysis. The local quintet will leave the Soda Grill at 6:30 o'clock.

## NOTES OFF THE SPINDLE

In spite of their recess on Friday night the undefeated Dixon sophomores still hold the scoring edge in their division of the North Central conference. In four games the locals have counted 169 points to 162 by Sterling in five games. . . records were broken right and left in the Bureau county tournament semi-finals when Hall Township annihilated Bureau Township, 90 to 21. . . Larry Dubberstein of the Red Devils dropped in 25 points in the game. . . the winners made 45 per cent of their shots. . . Louis Bevilacqua pulled well ahead in the individual scoring in the Rock Falls Senior Basketball league last week by getting 29 points. . . He now leads over his nearest rival (Fairfax), 122 to 93.

## BASKETBALL STANDINGS

(By The Associated Press)				
CONFERENCE				
	Opp.	W	L	Pts.
Indiana	2	0	100	70
Wisconsin	5	1	254	219

## ILLINOIS INTERCOLLEGIATE CONFERENCE

	Opp.	W	L	Pts.
North Teachers	1	0	24	22
Cartage	1	1	137	121
West Teachers	2	1	148	139
Eastern Teachers	2	1	133	135
State Normal	1	1	62	46
Eureka	1	2	85	121
Elmhurst	0	1	28	31

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## HOOSIERS HIT TITLE TRAIL IN GAME TONIGHT

Wisconsin Defeats Ohio To Give Indiana the Conference Lead

By TOM SILER

Chicago, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Indiana's stream-lined basketball team hits the Big Ten championship trail again tonight, a path that heretofore has always turned into a dead end street for the Bloomington sharpshooters.

The Hoosiers, league leaders with two victories and no losses, have had several practice engagements and only two conference contests in the past month, but there'll be little rest for Coach Branch McCracken's boys from here on out.

Indiana, which never has won an undisputed conference cage crown, invades Ann Arbor tonight for a game with much-beaten Michigan and follows that with a contest against Purdue at LaFayette Saturday night. Ohio State plays at Minnesota tonight in the week's only other league tilt.

Wisconsin handed the leadership to the Hoosiers Saturday night by whipping Ohio State, which had run up three victories before running into the hot Badgers.

The Buckeyes, playing before 13,300 in Madison, held Gene Englund and his mates scoreless for the first nine minutes. The Badgers then took charge, pulled ahead at halftime and turned the game into a rout in the second half for a final decision of 46 to 31. Englund accounted for 16 points in pacing Wisconsin to its fifth straight triumph.

## Michigan Loses

Michigan fell before Northwestern, 45 to 34, in the other Saturday game. The loss was the Wolverines' fifth in six games and Northwestern's first win in five. Wisconsin defeated Chicago last Monday while Michigan was whipping Minnesota and Iowa was trimming Northwestern, Chicago, in a game outside the loop, fell before De Paul Saturday, 37-32.

Wisconsin, now in the second spot with one loss against five wins, will be idle until Feb. 10, giving the Hoosiers a chance to grab a firm hold on first place and prove their right to the rating as overwhelming title favorite.

Indiana opened with a 10-point victory over Illinois and followed with a 20-point decision over Northwestern. Now the schedule pits them against Michigan, Purdue and Ohio State in that order before the Badgers resume competition.

Only Northwestern and Wisconsin not scheduled this week, although Chicago, Illinois and Iowa limit their activity to non-conference engagements. Examination periods have riddled the cage slate recently but the race opens up again on a general scale next week.

## Week's Schedule

This week's Big Ten schedule and other major games:  
Monday—Indiana at Michigan; Ohio State at Minnesota.  
Tuesday—Detroit at Purdue.  
Wednesday—University of Mexico at Illinois.  
Thursday—Loyola at Chicago.  
Saturday—Indiana at Purdue; Millikan at Iowa; Ohio State at Butler; Marquette at Notre Dame; Illinois Wesleyan at Loyola.

## South Teachers .0 2 76 78

	Opp.	W	L	Pts.
Monmouth	1	0	38	37
Millikan	5	1	268	236
Lake Forest	4	2	278	212
North Central	2	1	125	116
Wesleyan	2	1	125	124
Knox	0	1	37	38
Augustana	0	2	85	111
Illinois College	0	3	119	145
Wheaton	0	3	101	147
Bradley	0	0	0	0

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## HOCKEY SCORES

## WEEK-END RESULTS

## National League

## Saturday

## American League

## Sunday

## Providence 5; Pittsburgh 3

## Cleveland 1; Buffalo 1 tie

## Hershey 7; New Haven 3

## Springfield 3; Philadelphia 1

## Sunday

## Providence 4; Indianapolis 3

## Buffalo 3; Hershey 2

## Cleveland 3; New Haven 1

## Philadelphia 2; Springfield 1

# Leaf River Trims Ashton for Route 72 Title

Dixon Sophomores Rally to Win 10th Straight Triumph

Coach C. B. Lindell's undefeated sophomore cagers had the narrow escape of their brilliant career here Saturday night when they finally nosed out the East Rockford Palmer-men, 38 to 34, in a thrill-packed contest which had the fans hysterical. It was their 10th straight triumph.

With teamwork which might easily serve as an example to their elders, the Dixon varsity, the Lindellmen came through in the closing minutes with a rally that packed everything.

The game was marked by considerable ragged playing and many times the local sophomores passed right into the hands of their opponents. It was not the sophomores' best-looking triumph even though the most exciting.

The Dixon underclassmen commanded a 13 to 6 lead at the end of the first period with three field goals by Leeper, one by Knack and one gratis shot by Leeper to add to four by Egler.

All of the visitors' six points were made at the gift line and frequent Dixon fouls began to show on the locals' style of play. Leeper had three counted on him before the half ended and the sophomores were deprived of Evans' outstanding defensive work when he was later banished on four infractions.

## Dixon Is Outscored

The East Siders outscored the locals, 11 to 7, in the second frame in which Knack made one field goal and one free throw. Evans sank a long two-pointer and Egler collected two more charity shots. Again the third period the visitors outscored Dixon, this time 12 to 7. Leeper, Loftus and Evans each made field goals for the Dixon team and Egler added his seventh free shot.

With three field goals by Leeper, one each by Egler and Knack and a charity shot by the latter, the Dixon team came through with 11 points to the opponents' five in the last frame to win.

High scorer for the East Siders was A. Anderson with 15 tallies to equal the mark set by Dixon's Frank Leeper.

## BOX SCORE

SOPHOMORE GAME				
Dixon (38)				
Leeper, f	7	1	3	15
Knack, f	3	2	2	8
Egler, c	1	7	1	9
Loftus, c	1	0	3	2
Evans, g	2	0	4	4
Hubbard, f	0	0	2	0
Todder, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	10	15	38

## East Rockford (34)

	Fg	Ft	Ft	T
Rottenberg, f	3	3	3	9
N. Anderson, f	0	0	1	0
Olson, c	0	0	3	0
Lindquist, g	0	4	3	4
Demouchowski, g	0	2	3	2
H. Anderson, c	5	5	1	15
Giardin, f	1	2	1	4
Norbeck, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	9	16	15	35

## Score by Quarters

Dixon	13	7	11	38
East Rockford	6	11	12	34

## DIXON MARKSMEN WIN MATCH WITH LAMOLLE RIFLE CLUB

Drawing a "bye" in the Rock River Rifle league this past week, the Dixon marksmen went to Lamolle where they won a 30-shot offhand match with the hosts, 1325 to 1245.

The Dixon club will return to league competition on Friday night in a match with Elgin on the Rockford range.

## Scores:

	P.	O.	O.	Tot.
C. Hill	87	91	88	266
C. Lloyd	85	88	84	257
D. Chapman	81	78	86	245
P. Lovell	85	77	81	243
K. Allen	89	88	86	263
P. Root	80	76	87	243
F. Michael	81	91	93	277
J. Towns	75	85	89	253
Barnhizer	86	84	92	262

## Totals

	P.	O.	O.	Tot.
Drummer	85	83	82	250
McGray	83	83	84	250
Halm	82	87	84	253
Butler	73	80	74	227
Faulstich	86	85	86	257
Pope	87	87	90	264

## Totals

Dixon	1325
Lamolle	1245

## Only 800 men comprise the army of Costa Rica.

## Alonzo Leads East Rockford to Second Victory Over Dukes Here Saturday Night

Flashy Beginning and Revived Windup Feature Dixon Playing; Reserves Perform Well

Julius Caesar, first of the great Roman warriors, long ago uttered the famous "Veni, vidi, vici" which became the summary of a 20th Century Italian, Frank Alonzo, who ended his brilliant basketball career here Saturday night when he and his East Rockford pack "came, saw, conquered" the Dixon Dukes, 48 to 40.

It was a sky-rocketing climax to the successes of the athlete who had been a member of Coach Jim Laude's state championship team a few seasons ago. He played an inspired game by showing Dixon fans some of his excellent basketballing, deceptive passing and finger-tip control of the ball.

## Second Defeat

To a tired, disorganized and ailing Dixon team it was the second defeat of the season at the hands of the East Siders. Above all things the game demonstrated to the North Central conference leaders that there is another squad (and maybe many more) better than the Dukes. It showed them that teamwork such as the Laudemans have, goes a long way toward winning basketball games.

Dixon further learned that a contest well started and well ended is not enough without mid-game consistency. Further, the Sharpshooters had only to watch the East Rockford troupe for examples of excellent passing and control of the ball for a fast-breaking effectiveness. The Dukes missed several set ups under the basket and were cold on many longer shots. However, there were examples of defensive playing which rate among the best seen this year and the local reserves came through to show that given the chance, they have real ability of their own. In a revived last period the Dukes outscored East Rockford, 15 to 5, largely due to the fresh stock of reserve power.

The Dukes took 66 shots for 14 field goals while the visitors made 15 of 42.

There is no doubt that the Dukes (several of them, at least) were off form Saturday night due either to a week of minor ailments or tired because of Saturday working hours in stores. The defeat should go a long way to grooming the Dukes for that all-important game at Sterling next Friday which may decide the conference championship of 1941. The Brandau-men defeated East Rockford, 50 to 45, early this month.

## Lack of Stamina

Attesting the claims that the Dukes fell down on lack of stamina was the slump they went into after taking the lead, 11 to 3 at the end of the first period and 14 fouls gave the visitors a chance to ring up their 18 free throws. The Dukes missed 10 gratis shots while Rockford missed only four.

Rockford scored first when Lee dropped in one of two free throws on Shank's first foul. Kelly scored for Dixon from the side of the floor and Witzleb let loose with a beautiful long swisher. Shultz missed on a foul by Calacci and Bugg scored under the rim for the Dukes. Lee made one of two free throws on Shultz' foul and Anuscauskas made one of two on Shank's second infraction.

Witzleb scored again with another looper which failed to touch the rim as it dropped through and Kelly made a free throw on a foul by Tronske. Shultz scored under the basket as the quarter ended with the Dukes leading, 11 to 3.

## Rockford Gains Lead

East Rockford came back in the second period with 18 points to seven by the Dukes. It began with Alonzo scoring twice in rapid succession right under the rim and Tronske sank a gratis shot on a foul by Kelly. Bugg missed two free throws on a foul by Alonzo. Anuscauskas was fouled by Shank as he dropped in a two-pointer for the east siders and he also made good on the conversion.

Shultz scored near the rim for Dixon's first field goal of the period and Rockford tied the score with Calacci's counter on a reverse shot. Dixon went back into the lead when Kelly made one of two free throws on a foul by Tronske. Shultz missed a free throw on a foul by Lee and then made up for it with a beautiful one-handed heave. Calacci scored on a fast break under the rim and Rockford took the lead with Anuscauskas' long one handed shot.

Bugg sank two free throws on a foul by Tronske and East Rockford went into the lead they Laudemans never lost again when Alonzo scored on a beautiful plunge shot. He scored again under the rim as the half ended. Dixon 18; East Rockford 21.

## Second Half

Shultz scored a free throw on Alonzo's second foul to open the second half. Tronske scored on a long shot, Alonzo counted under the rim and Anuscauskas added his "two-points worth".

Kelly made good on two free throws when fouled by Anuscauskas and Bugg scored under the bucket. Alonzo counted two free throws on Shultz' second foul and Anuscauskas sank a field goal as Shultz made his third infraction.

## Totals

	Fg	Ft	Ft	T
Alonzo, f	10	10	10	40
Tronske, f	3	2	2	8
Lee, g	1	4	1	6
Anuscauskas, g	5	3	3	13
Manne, f	0	0	0	0
Flood, g	0	0	0	0
Palm, g	0	0	0	0
Pottas, c	0	2	2	2
Lundberg, f	0	0	0	0
Sjostrom, f	0	0	1	0
Totals	15	18	16	48

## Dixon (40)

	Fg	Ft	Ft	T
Kelly, f	2	5	4	9
Bugg, f	6	2	0	8
Witzleb, c	3	1	2	7
Shultz, g	4	1	3	9
Shank, g	0	1	4	1
Arnould, g	1	0	0	2
Feldkirchner, f	1	1	0	0
Pottas, c	0	0	1	0
McNamara, f	0	1	0	1
Reynolds, f	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	12	14	40

## Score by Quarters

Dixon	11	7	15	40
East Rockford	3	18	22	43
Free throws missed: Kelly 1, Bugg 5, Shultz 2, Feldkirchner 2, Tronske 1, Lee 2, Anuscauskas 1.				
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## Anniversaries Observed

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Davis entertained their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Shenefelt who observed their thirty-ninth wedding anniversary and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis whose anniversary was also Saturday and their 42nd anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis were also present at the dinner.

Max Riggs and daughter Carol of Rockford spent the week end with Mrs. Arristine Riggs.

## Grange Play

The home-talent play, "Swing Out" under the direction of Miss Dorothy Jones of Oblong, Ill. have selected the following cast. They are:

Mrs. Kissler—Ruth Krum.  
Annie—Doris Donaldson.  
T. J. Kissler—Harold Brooks.  
Betty Kissler—Delores Aldrich.  
Pierre Gaston—Virgil Waterbury.  
John Arthurs—Franklin Shipper.

Patsy Miller—Mrs. Sylvia Reid.  
Rita Phillips—Mrs. Wayne Weaver.  
Perkins (butler)—Russell Poole.  
Gus Nelson—Laverne Livingstone.

The Buffalo Grange are sponsoring the play, two nights, Jan. 29 and 30, at the town hall. The last evening a dance will follow the evening's entertainment. A popularity contest is being held for high school girls ages 14 to 20 years. The queen will receive a prize and be crowned to preside at the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Pakula of Chicago came Friday to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baumgarten and daughter Frances. Sunday evening the Pakulas and Baumgartens visited Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hoover.

Mrs. John Weber returned to New Rockford, North Dakota, Saturday after an extended visit here with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Weber.

John Deere Day for Polo farmers was held today at the town hall, sponsored by the local dealer, Louis Scholl. A dinner was served at noon and five talking pictures, one a Hollywood production, "Melody Comes to Town," furnished entertainment for the all-day meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bender, daughter Lorraine and son Don, Mrs. Meggie Albright and daughter Lucy were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bender.

Howard Rucker of Ft. Sheridan spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rucker.

The regular Townsend meeting will be held Wednesday, Jan. 29, at 7:30 p. m. in the Legion hall. There will be a scramble supper and everyone is invited. Reports of the bake sale will be given.

## Bucharest Calm After Days of Wild Conflict

Bucharest, Rumania, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Premier General Ion Antonescu eliminated all iron guards from his cabinet today and organized a strong new military government.

In forming the new government, Antonescu surrounded himself with generals who helped quell the abortive iron guard revolution last week and who he knew would uphold him without question in his attempt to purge the country of rebellious elements.

Alleged iron guard terrorists sneaking through the streets of Bucharest in a blinding blizzard, the worst snowstorm of the winter here, were being picked up one by one today by bayonet-armed soldiers.

After days of hiding, some of them in dark alleys, basements and unfinished buildings, the fugitives were being forced into the open by hunger and cold.

Except for an occasional shot fired in the air to stop pedestrians who were out after the 10 p. m. curfew, the Rumanian capital was calm last night and this morning.

Vice Premier Horia Sima, leader of the iron guard and officially described leader of last week's revolt, is under arrest, official circles said.

He was said to have been arrested in a sleeping car while attempting to flee.

## Truce in Siam-French Indo-China War Nears

Bangkok, Thailand, Jan. 27.—(AP)—A decision has been reached to conclude a truce in the undeclared border warfare between Thailand (Siam) and French Indo-China, but Japan, acting as mediator, has not yet submitted the basis for such an agreement, Deputy Foreign Minister Nai Direk Jayanarn said today.

Jayanarn declined to indicate the terms of a possible settlement. Intense diplomatic activity prevailed at the foreign office, where callers included the British and United States ministers to Bangkok.

## Uncle Sam's Troops Learn Winter Fighting Tactics



Under the watchful eye of their instructor, these Fifth division troops learn vagaries of maneuvering on snowshoes as they receive first lessons in winter training and fighting tactics at Camp McCoy, Wis. (NEA Telephoto.)

## 'Plain Mr. Willkie' Arrived in London for Fortnight Visit

London, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Wendell L. Willkie delivered President Roosevelt's message to Prime Minister Churchill today at luncheon and disclosed that he intended to talk with Prime Minister Eamon de Valera during a visit to neutral Eire.

Although he had planned to spend but an hour with Churchill, Willkie and the prime minister became so engrossed in their conversation that the luncheon lasted two hours.

As Willkie left, Churchill followed him to his automobile, despite rain, to say good-bye, and the two posed on the sidewalk shaking hands.

"He was very gracious," said Willkie. "I knew he was a great man. I know it now even more." The American lunched with Churchill after spending an hour at the foreign ministry with Foreign Minister Anthony Eden.

He informed 200 British newspapermen earlier that he hoped to stay in England about two weeks, viewing wartime conditions.

The exuberant Willkie, who arrived yesterday in London after a flying trip from the United States, pointed out again that he was in England as an individual and not in a governmental capacity, quipping:

"You will remember that the people decided I should not have anything to do with the government."

His surprise announcement that he hoped to visit Ireland raised speculation in neutral quarters as to whether he might plead Britain's case for the important ports of Lough Swilly and Cobh for anti-submarine warfare.

To the question "Do you think the United States will come into the war?" Willkie replied: "I can not speak on that. I have no connection with the government in any way."

## To Tour Provinces

He said he would remain in London for the next three or four days, then begin a tour of the provinces. He also said he hoped to visit naval, military and air units.

Commenting on the letter for Churchill he chuckled: "I think everybody in the United States gave me a letter to somebody."

He compared walking into a blackout with "walking in a cemetery."

On his way to the Ministry of Information for the press conference, at which British newsmen received him with four rounds of cheers and two "hear-hears", he stopped for a chat with a London hobbie on a corner near his hotel and with a stray soldier who happened along.

Of Englishmen he has met thus far he said: "I like their nerve. I haven't met anybody so far who is downhearted."

Of his own purpose he commented on arrival in England that he was geared to see with his own eyes and "to listen to everybody from the Prime Minister to the coal heaver", but not to talk.

## Ashton School Sponsors Debate Tuesday Evening

(Telegraph Special Service)  
Ashton, Jan. 27.—Debate teams from Mendota and Rockford high schools, counted among the best in the state, will debate the question "Resolved That the Powers of the Federal Government Should be Increased" at the Mills-Petrie memorial building here at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening under the auspices of the grammar room of the Ashton public schools. A small admission fee will be charged, the proceeds to be used for additional educational facilities at the Ashton grade schools.

## Canadians Recapture Nazi Prisoner



In British hands again is Peter Schiering (right), 30, German air force lieutenant, captured after escape from prison ship while docking in eastern Canadian port. (NEA Telephoto.)

## Northern Teachers Risk Record With 2 Tilts This Week

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Northern Illinois Teachers, who have won nine of 10 games this season including their only game in the Illinois Intercollegiate Conference loop, risk a fall from the pace-setting perch this week in two games.

The DeKalb five plays at Western Teachers Friday and at Carthage Saturday. Either team could replace them as the conference leader with a victory. Eureka meets Normal defending champions Tuesday in the only other league engagement on the calendar.

Northern took charge of the race last week with an upset 21-22 decision over Normal. Eastern Teachers defeated Southern, 36 to 35, to move into a second place tie with Carthage and Western Teachers.

Six non-conference games are on tap this week. Wednesday Western is host to Hong Wah Kues (San Francisco) and Southern entertains Phillips ('66') of Bartlesville, Okla. Eureka plays at Aurora Friday. Ball State invades Normal. Principia plays Elmhurst and Southern Teachers visit Terre Haute Teachers Saturday.

Games With Outsiders  
Conference teams won five of six games with outsiders last week, including Northern's 37-20 decision over Chicago Teachers, avenging an earlier defeat at their hands. Elmhurst was the lone victim, losing to Illinois Tech, 35-30.

Millikin was knocked off the Illinois College Conference crest last week by Lake Forest in a 40-52 game. This was Millikin's first league loss in six games. Monmouth now is the nominal leader with one victory in its only game.

North Central defeated Wheaton, 41-27, and Wesleyan squeezed by Illinois College, 48-47. Outside the loop Monmouth lost two games to Beloit and Ripon while Bradley was breaking even with Toledo and Dayton. Bradley has

yet to play a game in this circuit, concentrating on major foes so far.

Conference leaders are not scheduled this week. Illinois college meets Augustana Friday at Rock Island. The next night Augustana invades Knox. Millikin plays Iowa and Wesleyan plays Loyola at Chicago.

## Illinois Junior Chamber Asks Conservation Board

Cairo, Ill., Jan. 27.—(AP)—The Illinois Junior Chamber of Commerce believes that the state department of conservation should be governed by a six-man non-partisan committee.

A resolution urging such action was adopted yesterday by 50 representatives of 22 Illinois J. C. C. chapters attending a quarterly state board meeting.

The resolution further called for the placing of all department employees under civil service and establishment of a game wardens' training school.

## New Dean of Women at Illinois Wesleyan U.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 27.—(AP)—Miss Madge Sanmann, former counselor of students at McKinley Foundation of the University of Illinois, is due here Wednesday to assume the post of dean of women at Illinois Wesleyan University.

Her appointment was announced by President W. E. Shaw.

Miss Sanmann, now doing graduate work at Northwestern University, will succeed Dean Leona Wise Felsted, who has accepted a teaching position at Northwestern.

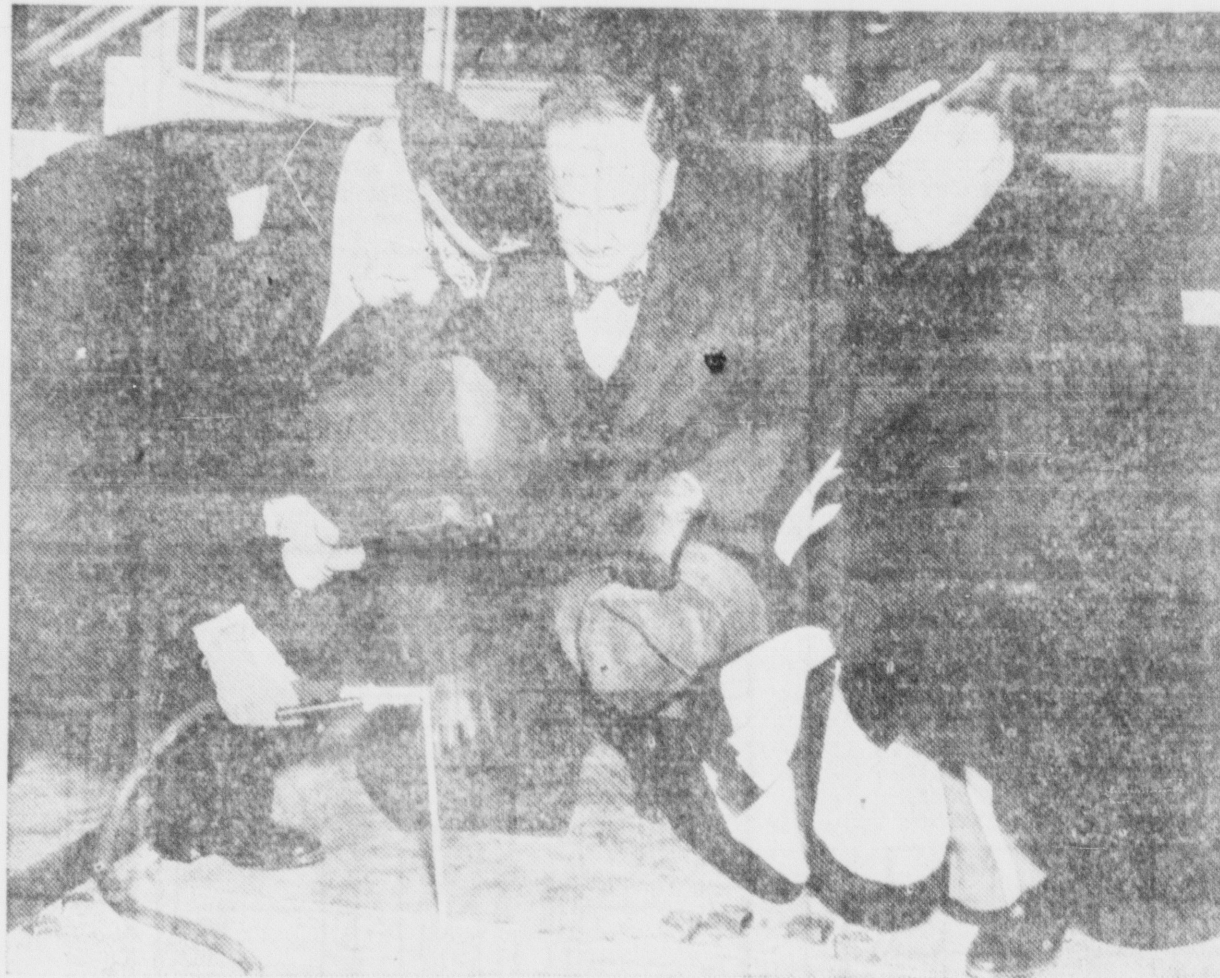
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## Lay Keel of Wisconsin, New Super-Dreadnaught



Rear Admiral A. E. Watson (left, commander of Philadelphia navy yard, applies torch to weld keel section of new 45,000-ton battleship Wisconsin at ceremonies held at the yard. Looking on are Joseph A. Schmidt, Wisconsin state legislator, and Col. Morris P. Coakley (right, representing Gov. Julius P. Heil, Wisconsin).

## Lindbergh Prefers "Negotiated Peace"



Col. Charles A. Lindbergh as he told house foreign affairs committee he would prefer to see "neither side win" in European war "and would like a negotiated peace." (NEA Telephoto.)

## Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ

New York, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey is trying to duck going into Red Burman's corner Friday night... Jim Crowley and Frank Leahy may do a joint job of coaching the N. Y. Herald-Tribune's all-star football team next fall... Fred Corcoran, P. G. A. tournament manager, likely will be the next sports celebrity summoned for army duty... Spike Nelson, new Yale coach, (who gets only \$5,000 himself), is having trouble lining up assistants because of the small salaries he's obliged to offer... A priest is trying to induce Lou Ambers to hang "em up while he still has all his marbles... The entire Minnesota coaching staff has entered the forthcoming ABC tournament.

## Hoops and Whoops

The Seneca (S. D.) Highs got hot and mopped up with Hoven, 112-5... on the same night, a St. Johnsbury (Vt.) high team routed Franklin 100-19... Skipping southward, the Engelhard and Fairfield (N. C.) teams played three times last week. Scores: Engelhard high boys, 21, Fairfield 12; Engelhard Semi-Pros, 20, Fairfield 12... Kenneth Griffith,

Alderson-Broadbuss college forward needs only 77 points to break Hank Luisetti's all-time four-year scoring mark... Night after he broke a thumb, George Nelmark of the Kirksville (Mo.) Teachers ran up 18 points for his best performance of the season.

## People and Things

The redoubtable Jack Kearns may join forces with Mike Jacobs and help promote Max Baer vs. Lou Nova in Chicago... Bantam Champ Lou Salica says there'll be a he-vent at his house soon—as if he could read the stork's mind.

## Today's Guest Star

Don Smith, Portsmouth (O) Times: "Everyone is talking about what a big jump Paul Brown made from Massillon to Ohio State... but over that good road it can be made in an hour and ten minutes... by plane it is a matter of 25 minutes... And if those Columbus downtown coaches get after you, the return trip can be made faster than that."

## Observation Ward

Lou Nova broadcasting: "I hear Louis is slipping... I certainly hope not... I didn't want him licked until I catch up with him."

Wales has been governed as a part of England since 1536.

## Badger's Scoring Mark Is Safe for A Week at Least

Chicago, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Bill Menke of Indiana and other Big Ten basketball sharpshooters resume the chase tonight for the individual scoring championship, but Gene England's pace-setting position is safe for this week at least.

England scored 33 points for Wisconsin against Chicago and Ohio State the past week, running his total to 77 points, just under a 13-point average for six games.

Menke, who has averaged 15 points in two contests, played twice this week, while Henry Clason of Northwestern, who ranked second 22 points behind England, and many of the other leaders will be idle. Of the first 10 scorers only Frosty Sprowl of Purdue and Dick Fisher of Ohio State will be active and each will appear in a single game.

## The leaders:

	G	Fg	Ft	Ftm	Tp
England, c.					
Wisconsin...	6	28	21	11	77
Clason, f.					
Northwestern	5	23	9	2	55
Mandler, c.					
Michigan...	6	22	8	10	52
Sofiak, f.					
Michigan...	6	17	16	5	50
Kotz, f.					
Wisconsin...	6	20	8	3	48
Brogan, g.					
Michigan...	6	17	8		42
Evers, f.					
Illinois...	4	14	14	3	42
Sprowl, f.					
Purdue...	3	18	5	5	41
Stampf, c.					
Chicago...	3	9	23	12	41
Fisher, f.					
Ohio State...	4	19	2	3	40

## AT CHANUTE FIELD

Chanute Field, Ill.—(AP)—Officers announced tentative plans for construction of a service club and hostess house in cantonment area of Chanut field. Intended to help meet the recreational needs of 14,000 men at this Army Air Corps post, the service club will have a large ballroom, reading room, cafeteria, game rooms and offices. The hostess house will be chiefly a hotel to accommodate visiting relatives.

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18 Regrets.

19 Dill.

21 Expands.

23 South Africa (abbr.).

24 Yarns.

28 Vagabonds.

32 Moron.

33 Dexterous.

34 Most.

35 Marked with spots.

36 Toward.

37 Thrashes.

41 Electrical unit.

44 Dubs.

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SEE TOOK AS  
ALL SLAMEE  
UNFORTIFIED

**VERTICAL**

1 Lost.

2 To impel.

3 Examination.

4 Natural color.

5 Quantity of paper.

6 Sack.

7 Consumed.

8 His new vegetables are more to disease.

9 Earnest money.

10 Sea mile.

11 Leg joint.

12 His plants have larger and more flowers.

15 Assistants.

20 Expedites.

22 Bacon used in larding meat.

25 Fuss.

26 Circular wall.

27 Goddess of dawn.

29 Work of skill.

30 Ratite bird.

31 Hole.

38 Alms box.

39 Castle ditch.

40 Bill of fare.

41 Spoken.

42 Hour (abbr.).

43 God of war.

45 Mohammedan noble.

46 Fabricated.

47 Toilet case.

49 Exclamation.

50 To harden.

52 Form of "a."

53 Transposed (abbr.).

55 Printer's measure.



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Brain Battle—WBEM  
Musical Enrie—WMAQ  
7:00 I Love a Mystery—WLS  
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Play Broadcast—WGN  
Those We Love—WBEM  
7:30 Pipe Smoking Time—  
WBEM  
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Burns & Allen—WMAQ  
Pleasure Time—WMAQ  
California Melodies—WGN  
Ten O'clock Final—WENR  
10:15 Sammy Kaye's Orch. —  
WIND  
Fort Pearson—WMAQ  
Lou Reese's Orch. —  
WMAQ  
Ted Fio-Rito's Orch. —  
WGN  
11:00 Globe Trotter—WENR  
Neil Bondshu's Orch. —  
WMAQ  
Masterworks of Music —  
WBEM

**TUESDAY**  
**Afternoon**  
12:00 Life Can Be Beautiful —  
WBEM  
12:15 Tony Wons' Scrapbook —  
WMAQ  
Woman in White—WBEM  
Voice of Romance—WCFL  
The Right to Happiness —  
WBEM  
Noontime Serenade—WGN  
Tunes and Tips—WMAQ  
12:45 Road of Life—WBEM  
Three to Get Ready —  
WMAQ  
1:00 Young Doctor Malone —  
WBEM  
Hymns of all Churches —  
WMAQ  
1:15 Girl Interne—WBEM  
Arnold Grimm's Daughter —  
WMAQ  
1:30 Painted Dreams—WGN  
Valiant Lady—WMAQ  
Guss Who—WCFL  
Make Believe Ballroom—  
WGN  
1:45 Home of the Brave —  
WBEM  
World of the World —  
WMAQ  
Spotlight—WCFL  
2:00 Story of Mary Marlin —  
WMAQ  
Mary Margaret McBride—  
WBEM  
Make Believe Ballroom —  
WGN  
Orphans of Divorce—WLS  
2:15 Ma Perkins—WMAQ  
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill —  
WBEM  
Golden Treasury of Song—  
WBEM  
Frank Hubbell's Choir —  
WCFL  
2:30 John's Other Wife—WLS  
WMAQ Young's Family —  
WMAQ  
School of the Air—WBEM  
Vic and Sade—WMAQ  
Just Plain Bill—WLS  
Musical Tabloid—WCFL  
3:00 Mother of Mine—WENR  
Fortia Faces Life—WBEM  
Backstage Wife—WMAQ  
3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ  
We the Abbotts, Sketch —  
WBEM  
Betty and Bob—WENR  
3:30 Hilton House—WBEM  
Club Matinee—WENR  
Radio Gossip Club—WGN  
Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ  
3:45 Kate Hopkins, Sketch —  
WBEM  
WMAQ Widder Brown —  
WMAQ  
4:00 The Goldbergs—WBEM  
Girl Alone—WMAQ  
Great Artists—WGN  
4:15 Lone Journey—WMAQ  
Johnny Burkarth's Orch.—  
WBEM

6:00 Easy Aces—WENR  
Amos 'n' Andy—WBEM  
Dr. Preston Bradley—WGN  
Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost  
Persons—WENR  
John W. Vandercook —  
WMAQ  
Dad's Family—WCFL  
Lanny Ross—WBEM  
6:30 Helen Menken—WBEM  
Musical Enrie—WMAQ  
6:45 H. V. Kallenborn—WMAQ  
Music Time—WCFL  
7:00 Ray Bloch's Orch.—WMAQ  
Musical Quiz—WLS  
Court of Missing Heirs —  
WBEM  
7:30 First Nighter—WBEM  
Treasure Chest—WMAQ  
Question Bee—WLS  
Secret Agent—WGN  
8:00 Battle of the Sexes —  
WMAQ  
Grand Central Station —  
WENR  
We the People—WBEM  
Professor Quiz—WENR  
Fibber McGee and Molly —  
WMAQ  
Mystery Drama—WENR  
Morton Gould's Orch. —  
WGN  
9:00 Story Dramas—WENR  
Bob Hope's Show—WMAQ  
G. e. n. Miller's Orch. —  
WBEM  
9:15 Ray Herbeck's Orch. —  
WENR  
Invitation to Learning —  
WBEM  
Music America—WCFL  
Uncle Walter's Doghouse —  
WMAQ  
Meet Edward Meeks —  
WENR  
Northerners—WGN  
10:00 Pleasure Time—WMAQ  
Carmen Petrillo's Orch. —  
WBEM  
Ten O'clock Final—WENR  
10:30 Music Lovers' Program —  
WCFL  
Lou Reese's Orchestra —  
WMAQ  
Lawrence Welk's Orch. —  
WGN  
Todd Hunter—WBEM  
Tommy Dorsey's Orch.—  
WIND  
11:00 Bobby Ramos' Orch. —  
WMAQ  
Globe Trotter—WENR  
Masterwork of Music —  
WBEM

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## Harvester Works at East Moline to Resume Wednesday

East Moline, Ill., Jan. 27.—(AP)—The management of the Inter-  
national Harvester Company's  
East Moline works, shut down  
since January 16 because of a  
labor dispute, prepared the plant  
today for resumption of opera-  
tions Wednesday.  
Members of both an independ-  
ent and a C. I. O. union voted  
yesterday to return to work and  
then submit employees' demands  
to the company.

Supt. E. W. Stahl said that be-  
cause of the 10-day shutdown  
and the week-end snowstorm it  
would be necessary to "put our  
house in order" today and tomor-  
row and that he would notify the  
men to return to work Wednes-  
day.  
Union leaders said that among  
the 400 voting at the meeting  
were members of the independent  
union, the Farm Equipment  
Workers Organizing Committee,

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Foreclosure.  
State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss  
In the Circuit Court.  
Home Owners' Loan Corporation,  
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States of America, created by  
Act of Congress, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
William M. Adams and  
Alma Adams, Defendants.  
In Chancery.  
General Number 2133.  
Foreclosure.  
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given  
that in pursuance of a decree  
rendered by said court in the  
above entitled cause on the 20th  
day of January, A. D. 1941, the  
undersigned Master-in-Chancery  
of said court, will on Tuesday, the  
18th day of February, A. D. 1941,  
at the hour of ten o'clock in the  
forenoon at the north front door  
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Illinois, sell at public auction, to  
the highest and best bidder, for  
cash, all and singular the follow-  
ing described real estate in said  
decree mentioned, (together with  
all buildings and improvements  
thereon, and tenements, heredita-  
ments and appurtenances there-  
unto belonging), situated in the  
County of Lee and State of Illi-  
nois, or so much thereof as shall  
be sufficient to satisfy said de-  
cree, to-wit:

Lot Twelve (12) in Max-  
well's Addition to the City of  
Dixon, except that part of  
said lot lying on the southerly  
side of the northerly boundary  
of Morgan Street in the City  
of Dixon, as now laid out  
and traveled, situated in the  
County of Lee and State of Illi-  
nois, said premises being  
located upon and part of the  
Northwest Quarter (NW4)  
of Section Thirty-three (33),  
in Township Twenty-two (22)  
North, of Range Nine (9)  
East of the Fourth Principal  
Meridian.  
Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this  
27th day of January, A. D. 1941.  
Elwin M. Bunnell  
Master-in-Chancery as aforesaid.  
Dixon, Devine, Bracken & Dixon  
Solicitors for plaintiff.  
January 27-February 3-10, 1941

**NOTICE OF CLAIM DAY**  
Notice is hereby given to all  
persons that Monday, March 3rd,  
1941, is the claim date in the  
estate of Alice B. Swab, Deceased,  
pending in the County Court of Lee  
County, Illinois, and that claims  
may be filed against the said  
estate on or before said date with-  
out issuance of summons.  
Roy Swab, Administrator.  
Warner and Warner, Attorneys.  
Jan. 20-27-Feb. 3

## Lee County Gains in Population in 1930-1940 Period

Figures of the 1940 census re-  
leased by the Census Bureau of  
Washington Saturday afternoon  
revealed that the population of  
ten northern Illinois counties in-  
creased 4.25 per cent during the  
1930-1940 decade. Lee county's  
gain being seven per cent and  
Ogle's increase amounting to 6.2  
per cent.  
The 1940 population in northern  
Illinois cities in the 2,500 to 10,  
000 class follows: Belvidere, 3,  
094; Crystal Lake, 3,917; De-  
Kalb, 9,146; Galena, 4,126; Har-  
vard, 3,121; Mendota, 4,215; Ore-  
gon, 2,825; Rochelle, 4,200; Rock  
Falls, 4,987; Savanna, 4,792; South  
Beloit, 2,825, and Sycamore, 4,702.  
Population of villages under 2,  
500 includes the following:  
Adeline, 176; Albany, 492; Al-  
gonquin, 826; Amboy, 1,986; Ap-  
ple River, 461; Ashton, 914; By-  
ron, 1,113; Capron, 487; Cary,  
707; Cedarville, 420; Chadwick,  
581; Cherry Valley, 583; Coleta,  
184; Compton, 300; Dakota, 268;  
Davis, 317; Durand, 592.  
East Dubuque, 1,475; Elizabeth,  
694; Erie, 1,052; Forreston, 992;  
Franklin Grove, 645; Genoa, 1,  
290; German Valley, 180; Hamp-  
shire, 757; Hanover, 899; Hebron,  
627; Hincley, 710.  
Kingston, 259; Kirkland, 570;  
Lakewood, 125; Lanark, 1,292;  
Leaf River, 415; Lee, 257; Lena,  
1,169; Lily Lake, 47; Lyndon,  
476; McHenry, 1,596; Malta, 455;  
Marengo, 2,034; Menominee, 138;  
Milledgeville, 808; Mount Carroll,  
1,845; Mount Morris, 2,304.  
Nelton, 265; Nora, 207; On-  
angeville, 407; Pearl City, 447;  
Pecatonica, 1,302; Polo, 2,071;  
Poplar Grove, 353; Prophet's-  
town, 1,469; Richmond, 559; Ri-  
dott, 169; Rock City, 134; Rock-  
ton, 1,156.

## Cleveland Plant, Vital in Defense Program, is Closed by Strike Today

Cleveland, Jan. 27.—(AP)—The  
Standard Tool Co., producers of  
factory equipment for many de-  
fense industries, was closed today  
in a strike called by the C. I. O.  
United Auto Workers Union.  
Henry T. Cowles, superintend-  
ent of the police labor detail, re-  
ported that no production workers  
entered the plant, which has been  
employing nearly 600 persons.  
Unionists said the strike result-  
ed from a deadlock in contract ne-  
gotiations. H. C. McKean, gen-  
eral manager of the firm, said he  
had no comment.

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MAJOR!—OH, DEY WAS  
FI POUNDS OB BEEF,  
TOO, AN' THREE  
POUNDS OB SWISS  
CHEESE!—DIS AIN'T  
NO PARTY, DIS AM A  
HOLD HIGH RAID!

HOOPLE'S GOT  
ALL THE CHIPS, DOT A  
BUT I'LL BET  
THIS WATCH  
AGAINST THAT THOUGHT  
MILK BOTTLE IT VASS  
STICKPIN I  
HOLD HIGH  
HAND!

ARE YOU  
WATCHING  
THAT SIDE  
FOR ME  
THERE?

I'D SOONER PUT  
'EM BACK IN—GO  
ON, YOU'RE GETTIN'  
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## Observes Birthday

Former Governor Frank O. Lowden observed his 80th birthday Sunday, Jan. 26. His three daughters and sons-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Philip Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Madlener of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Wiersma of New York City spent the week end at Simmsville Farm in honor of the anniversary.

## Opening of Center

A formal opening of St. Mary's new Community center, 305 North Fourth street will be held by parish members Tuesday night, Jan. 28. An invitation is extended to the public to attend the event. The program will include card playing and the serving of a lunch.

## P. N. G. Meeting

The Past Noble Grand of the Rebekah order will be entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Fouch.

## Basketball

Rock Falls high school basketball team will oppose the Oregon team at the local high school gym Tuesday night.

## Shower

Miss Emma Taft was hostess to twelve guests Friday afternoon at a shower for her niece, Mrs. Harold Baxter.

## Telephone Bridge

The local American Legion Auxiliary will sponsor a series of telephone bridge parties from Tuesday, Jan. 28 through Friday Jan. 31.

## County Council

The county council of American Legion and Auxiliary will hold a meeting in Mount Morris, Feb. 6.

## Attended Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elyne and Miss Alice Robbins attended funeral services in Batavia Thursday for an uncle, Frank Reiman, 66. He was born in Oregon and was a member of one of the pioneer families here. The remains were brought to Oregon for interment in Riverview cemetery. A daughter, Mrs. William Forrest of Batavia and son Harry Reiman survive.

## Officers Installed

Anton B. Ackerson of Princeton acted as installing officer for the Royal Arch Masons of Oregon Friday night. Officers installed Willard Van Stone, High Priest; D. Cameron Findley, King; R. E. Chandler, scribe; H. E. Harnish, treasurer; F. H. Zumbach, secretary; Homer Edelman, captain of the hosts; S. S. Clausen, principal sejourner; Frank W. Gantz, royal arch captain.

## Unity Club

Mrs. D. L. Schultz assisted by Miss Dena Gronewald will entertain the Unity club of St. Paul's Lutheran church Tuesday evening.

## Assembly Program

Bob Wood, cartoonist entertainer will present an assembly program at Oregon high school Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. He will

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## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eshbaugh of Stillman Valley and Miss Nellie Southwick of Rockford were dinner guests Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Maysilles. During the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Homer Roberts of Rockford were callers at the Maysilles home.

Mrs. G. D. Thibault went to Whiting, Ind. Saturday to spend a week with a former classmate, Mrs. R. B. Miller.

Mrs. F. R. Robinson was a visitor over the week end of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Lagen at Joliet.

Bert Schneider of Ansoy visited his mother, Mrs. Charles Schneider, St. Thursday.

E. F. Rippberger was a business visitor in Dixon Friday.

Mrs. Lester Myers is a patient at St. Anthony's hospital in Rockford where she will undergo an operation next week.

Mrs. L. I. McQuillan is ill of pneumonia. Her daughter, Mrs. Jarvis of Gary, Ind. is assisting in her care.

Sidney Hess is home from St. Bede's academy for the week end. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cook who have been in Oregon for several weeks have left in their trailer for Lincoln, Neb.

Miss Dorothy Modeson of Rockford was a guest over the week end of Miss Mary Harriett Landers.

**ROCHELLE**  
Mrs. Harvey C. Hewitt  
Reporter and Local Circulation Manager  
National Bank Bldg.  
Phone 144

Fred Lux, editor of the Rochelle News, and son, A. J. Lux, were injured Saturday morning in an auto accident two miles north of Mendota. The men were on their way to Springfield when the accident occurred. When they were traveling at the rate of about 45 miles an hour, a bread truck, driven by Carol Pierce, for the Thomas Boyer bakery of Minonk, failed to stop when leaving a farm driveway, and crashed into the Lux car. Mr. Pierce said that his brakes failed to hold.

A. J. Lux was thrown through the windshield of the car, suffering a broken nose, severe cuts about the scalp, and face. He was bleeding profusely when pulled from the completely wrecked car and rushed to the Mendota hospital for treatment. One piece of glass was removed from the flesh near one eye. Both men were able to return to Rochelle about noon, Saturday, where they are recovering at the Fred Lux home on North Seventh street, under the care of a local physician.

Both men are well-known in the Dixon area. A. J. Lux at one time was linotype operator for the Dixon Evening Telegraph.

## Gov. Green Heads List of Speakers for I. A. A.

St. Louis, Jan. 27.—(AP)—Gov. Dwight H. Green of Illinois heads a list of speakers for the twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Illinois Agricultural Association here next Thursday and Friday.

He will talk on problems of government at a general session on Thursday night.

Group conferences on marketing, soil improvement, schools, public relations and similar topics are scheduled. The relation of agriculture to the defense program also will be discussed.

Other speakers will include Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam of the Methodist church, Boston; Dean H. P. Rusk of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois; Chester Davis, member of the National Defense Advisory Commission and governor of the Federal Reserve Board; and Edward A. O'Neal, President of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

# MENDOTA

Mrs. Bertha Ossman  
311 Seventh Avenue  
Phone 266L

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellingen are spending the week end in Peoria with Mrs. Ellingen's parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Gillespie. Miss Alberta Winter of Kewanee came Friday for a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Winter.

Mrs. J. E. Hubbler of Peru spent Friday afternoon in Mendota.

Jack Moulton was a Chicago visitor on Friday.

Mrs. D. C. Haskell and Mrs. John Gallagher spent Thursday in LaSalle and Peru.

Mr. and Mrs. Raphael McCarthy spent Friday in Chicago. In the afternoon they attended the Chicago Symphony concert, hearing Nathan Milstein, the world-famous violinist.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hall left on Sunday for Hollywood by the Sea near Miami, Florida, where they plan to remain for six weeks.

George Schuetz, Gilbert Betz and Arthur Sigbith were in Chicago on Sunday and spent the evening attending the New York Rangers - Chicago Blackhawk hockey game at Chicago Stadium.

Mrs. John Kessel, a recent bride, was honored at a surprise shower given by her friends in and near Peru. The party was held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Preston on Joliet street in Peru. Mrs. Kessel was formerly Gladys Preston.

Mendota friends of Helen Holmstrom, New York artist, enjoyed hearing her broadcast on Saturday noon from the Waldorf Astoria where she was interviewed by Ilka Chase.

Miss Hokinson lived a large part of her life in Mendota and is a graduate of the local high school.

Mrs. O. D. Harrison entertained the Birthday club at a seven o'clock dessert bridge in her home Friday evening.

Prize winners were Mrs. Bernard Katzwinkle, Mrs. John Kehn and Mrs. John Walter.

Mrs. Hugh Kibler of this city, fourth vice president of the Illinois Parent-Teacher Association, will be the principal speaker at the Founders' Day meeting in LaSalle on February 13.

Mrs. William Faber, Jr., district president, will be in charge of installation of new officers which will take place during the evening.

Mrs. Hattie Blass entertained the members of the Impromptu club on Friday evening.

Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Max John, Mrs. Frank Schwartz and Mrs. Carrie Stenger.

The club will meet with Mrs. Schwartz in two weeks.

Mrs. Willard Deaner was honored at a shower given Tuesday evening, when close friends and co-workers were invited to spend the evening at the R. W. Ranney home.

Mrs. Deaner the former Bette Woods, received many lovely gifts. Lorraine Dwyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Redmond Dwyer, former Mendota residents, is one of several co-eds competing for queen of Northwestern university downtown campus. Her picture was among the group shown in Chicago papers on Thursday. The Dwyer family has resided in Mundelein since leaving Mendota a few years ago.

Fred Lux, Rochelle publisher, and his son, Delbert of Ferguson Falls, Minn., were injured in an accident which occurred north of Mendota Saturday morning.

Because of the ice, a Ford driven by Carl Pierce, who attempted to stop before coming to the highway, crashed into the car driven by Mr. Lux, who with his son was enroute to a meeting of the Illinois Republican Editors' Association in Springfield.

The injured men were taken to Harris hospital and after receiving medical attention were able to return to Rochelle, their wrecked car also being taken to Rochelle.

Pierce, who was driving the other car, was uninjured but his car is in a local garage for repairs.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

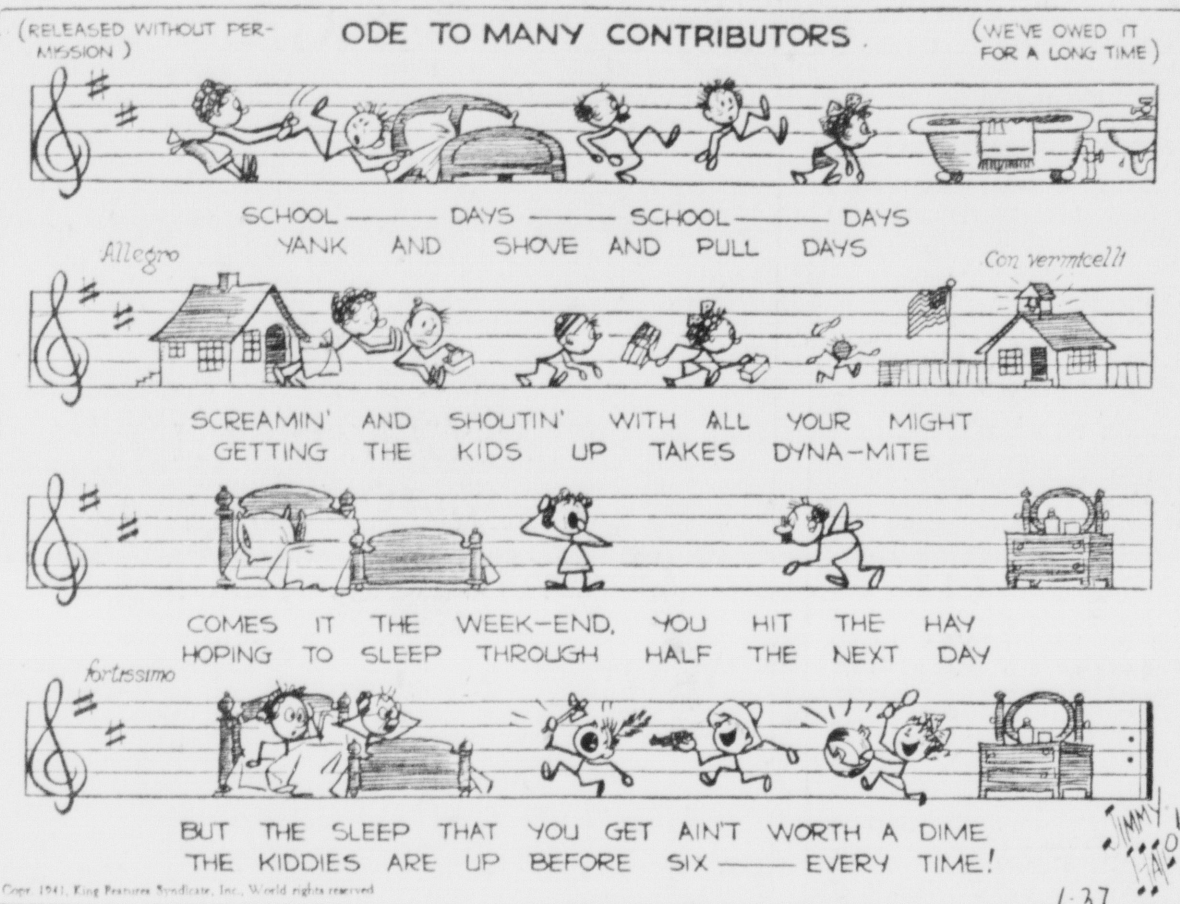
"Truth" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 26.

The Golden Text was, "Thou art near, O Lord, and all thy commandments are truth. Concerning thy testimonies, I have known of old that thou hast founded them for ever" (Psalms 119:151, 152).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of sickness and all manner of disease among the people" (Matthew 4:23).

This Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The best sermon ever preached is Truth practised and demonstrated by the destruction of sin, sickness, and death. We cannot build safely on false foundations. Truth makes a new creature, in whom old things pass away and all things become new" (p. 201).

## They'll Do It Every Time



**FORRESTON**  
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Reporter  
Phone 6722

The annual business meeting was held at the Zion Evangelical church at North Grove Wednesday. Christ Hagemann was re-elected trustee and Edwin Kaney was elected trustee.

## P.-T. A.

The January meeting of the P.-T. A. will be held in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening. The Forrester Mother's club will have charge of the program and Mrs. Raymond Stoner, president of the club has announced a very interesting program. Special music will be provided and John Barrett of Freeport will show several reels of pictures. The social committee is Mrs. H. Anderson, Mrs. A. Dahlheim, Mrs. P. Beebe, Mrs. E. Brockmeier, Mrs. C. Summers and Mrs. J. Buss. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gassmum spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Abels.

Mrs. Bertha DeGrath, Alvin Hoffman and Clarence Vietmeier served on the petit jury this week and Wayne Kaney served on the grand jury.

Carl Beightol, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beightol who has been in training near San Francisco, left Saturday for the Philippine Islands for a period of two years.

Robert Lang has accepted a position as truck driver for the Blue Star Potato Chip Company of Rockford.

William Maas is employed at the county clerk's office in Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Marks spent Thursday evening in the Frank Blair home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Akins visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hinde in Rockford Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McPherson are spending several months in the southern states.

Fred H. Stuckenberg and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Timmer were callers in Freeport on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hiteman entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Warner at supper Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Swanson and daughter of Rockford were recent visitors in the George Stuckenberg home.

Mrs. Ralph Akins was host to the Double Four bridge club Wednesday evening. High score went to Mrs. Frank Gershaugh, second high to Mrs. Frank Yeager and Mrs. Gordon Swift received the traveling prize.

The interior of the R. M. Gorman restaurant is being redecorated.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nicodemus, Robert Nicodemus and Miss Harriett Lindell of Chicago visited in

the Mrs. Nellie Mumma home Tuesday.

The Mother's club will meet this evening with Mrs. F. K. Mertz. Mrs. V. P. Conkey will be assistant hostess and Mrs. John Buss will be the study leader.

Arthur Fried, gravel inspector at the McGrath Sand & Gravel Co., has been transferred to Springfield.

The Friendship club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Raymond Stoner on Thursday evening. High score went to Mrs. Sylvia Janacek, second to Mrs. Olive Maas, and low to Mrs. Harvey Ostick.

Donald Alberts returned home Friday morning from the Deaconess hospital, Freeport, where he had been a surgery patient for the past ten days.

Mrs. Alice Sweet of Polo, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Sylvia Paul.

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Troop No. 5 Girl Scouts of the high school held an induction ceremony at the Scout rooms Friday at 4 p. m. Girls taken into the troop included Jean Allen, Mildred Rouse, Esther Hedrick, Lois Watt, Corrine Davis, Joan Strub, Marjorie Yoder, Jean Single, Phyllis Lizer and Betty Barton. The following girls received their dramatic badge: Clara Manny, Audrey Wynne, Fern Waddelow, Leona Palmer, Pearl Jiracek, Helen Baker and Jeanne Smith. The child care badge was awarded to Clara Manny, Pearl Jiracek, Fern Waddelow and Leona Palmer. Refreshments were served by the leaders, Miss Mary Wishard and Miss Helen Barre. The mothers were guests and Mrs. L. G. Schaar and Mrs. Don Wynne represented the committee.

Troop 4 Girl Scouts enjoyed a skating party at the Pines State park Saturday afternoon. They returned to the Scout rooms for refreshments at four o'clock. Mrs. Wayne Hollinger and Miss Francis Sanders were in charge of the fifteen girls of the party.

The Mt. Morris lodge No. 1551, Loyal Order of Moose, will initiate a large class of candidates at the town hall Tuesday night. Guests are expected from Rockford, Sycamore, DeKalb, Sterling and Savanna. A newly organized degree team, under the direction of Jerry Kronlik, formerly of the Rockford degree team, will conduct the initiation ceremony. Lunch will be served at the close of meeting. Franklin Balluff is governor of the local lodge and Walter Klepper, secretary.

The local grade school basketball teams scored a clean sweep of all three games played at Rochelle last Sunday morning in the

Central school gym. The Mt. Morris Midgets kept their slate clean by chalking up their fourth straight victory 18 to 6. The local team, led by Johnny Jacobs, who sank five baskets besides playing a fine floor game, took the lead in the first quarter and were never headed. Harry Yoder with two baskets, Billy Messer and Jackie Leonard with one apiece completed the scoring for Mt. Morris.

The Mt. Morris Lightweights played an inspired game to win by a score of 20 to 5. Earl Elevins sank six baskets to lead the scoring for Mt. Morris. Jim Rohleder with three baskets and Glenn Messer with one furnished the rest of the quarter. In the second quarter the local boys found themselves pulled away 12 to 5 at the half. The tight defense of the Lightweight team held the Rochelle team scoreless for the last three quarters of the game. Rochelle made one basket and three free throws for all their points in the first quarter.

The Heavyweight game was almost a repetition of the Lightweight game. Rochelle took a 4 to 1 lead at the end of the first quarter. In the second quarter, however, Mt. Morris started to click piling up a 13 to 4 lead with but two minutes left to play. Against the Mt. Morris reserves the Hub city team made two baskets and a free throw to bring their total up to nine points. Shank and Bartow did all the scoring for Mt. Morris. Ross, Incontro and Downing played a fine defensive game keeping the Rochelle offense in check most of the time.

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## Friendly Circle Group

The Friendly Circle group of the Christian Ladies' Aid met on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wesley Peach who was assisted by Mrs. Keith Burkey. Seventeen members answered roll call. The meeting opened with the song "The Way of the Cross Leads Home". Anna Gallentine had charge of the devotion, using for her topic "Standards and Measures", closing the devotion with a prayer. The regular business meeting was then conducted by the leader, Fern Christensen. The meeting closed with the benediction. Games and a social hour were enjoyed followed by delicious refreshments.

## Farm Home Club

The Farm Home club members held their annual family night Friday evening at Bureau Township high school. A delicious scramble supper was served to about 40 at 6:30 o'clock. Those on the supper committee were: Mrs. Beryl Wade, Mrs. Roy Snider, Mrs. William Hasenay, Mrs. Dale Burkey, Mrs. Foster Black and Mrs. Jake Beaver. During the evening, Chinese checkers and other games were played. Entertainment committee members were Mrs. Nettie Naffziger, Mrs. Lester Schultz and Mrs. Julia Springer.

## Pontoon Club

Mrs. Burke Livey was hostess to three tables of bridge on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Pauline Shearburn received high score prize and Mrs. Ethel Nelink received second high. A farewell gift was presented to Mrs. Lyle Upton who is soon to move to Prophetstown. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Roy Atherton. Dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

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## Entertains at Luncheon

Mrs. Margaret Artz entertained Mrs. John Leek, Mrs. W. H. Deter, Mrs. Rena Clevidence, Mrs. Ollie Sarber, and Mrs. Viola Hays at luncheon on Thursday.

## Mrs. Miller Is Hostess

Mrs. Fannie Miller entertained the United Missionary group of the Christian church at her home Thursday evening. There were thirteen members present. The lesson was on "China", and Mrs. L. O. Patterson and Mrs. Oscar Wragg gave interesting talks on China, its inhabitants, customs etc. At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served.

## W. R. C. Card Club

Mrs. W. T. Elms and Mrs. S. L. Lazarus entertained the W. R. C. bridge club at the lodge rooms Thursday evening. Mrs.

Orville Sweet won high score and Mrs. M. J. Anderson received the consolation prize.

## Sunday School Class

The Willing Workers class of the Brick Sunday school met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. M. Nichols. Mrs. Elmer Knapp and Mrs. Maude Elsey were the assistant hostesses. There were twelve members present. Following the business meeting, the remainder of the afternoon was spent in making quilt blocks for the Otterbein Home at Lebanon, Ohio. Later in the afternoon, refreshments were served.

## Eagle Point Aid Society

Mrs. Sarah Brown entertained the members of the Eagle Point Aid society Thursday. There were eighteen members and three guests present. A scramble luncheon was enjoyed at noon and the afternoon was spent in quilting.

## News Briefs

Miss Grace Helfrich of Dixon is spending several days with her brother, Elwin and wife.

John D. Coffman and sister, Mrs. John Leek spent Tuesday in Chicago with the former's daughter, Mrs. Lester Skaggs.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Coffman and Mrs. John Leek spent Friday in the Eldon Coffman home at Marion, Iowa.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Orville French, at Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital in Dixon, Friday, January 24, a son.

Mrs. Anna C. Powell transacted business in Oregon Saturday.

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